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## Our Town

Sympathy, understanding, co-operation, tolerance—these are the things that should exist among the people. The lack of these things in dealing with civic problems always admits the possibility of failure.

There is now little doubt but that a bumper weed crop will be harvested this year on the campus of the Yoe High School. The land scape artist and the plans for improvement we heard so much about are sure to come but we will no doubt see another good weed crop.

In Chicago Wednesday a mob of garment workers said to be from the red and radical element of American organized labor and possibly men of foreign ideas and characteristics attacked and beat the daughters of American mothers employed in the plants. This is one among many demonstrations of violence chargeable to the radical element of organized labor and for which the entire labor interest is bound to be held responsible. The right to labor and the right to pursuits of labor should be denied to no man or woman in America but shame has come to this land because condoning politicians with long ears and loud voices are cumbering the forum of legislation and justice. It is said that a candidate for public office in any state in the United States dare not hand out a printed card that does not bear the label of the Union. What America needs from precinct to the national congress are men not of the type of the Demagogue nor to oppose the legitimate purposes of organization, but men who will speak the unvarnished truth and damn to die ever selfish interest. There are in this country many millions—in fact enough to make a considerable majority of unorganized folks and it is time the pendulum was swinging back to the ideals of majority government.

We hear a great deal now days about intolerance and no doubt there is abroad in the land many symptoms of the poison called intolerance. Every good American wishes that there might be no such thing. Dangerous types of intolerance are pronounced in as many localities of America. At Lufkin, Texas, Wednesday a mob stormed the jail there in an attempt to lynch a negro who was then in the custody of officers charged with a crime. Four were wounded when the officers fired on the mob. In Waukesha, Wisconsin, 3000 gangsters stormed a body of American citizens assembled under the formal auspices of their own constitutional rights and but for the timely interference of officers blood would have been spilled. The need of the hour is condemnation of violence from whatever source it may come.

The basis of our support to the cause of any aspirant for the legislature of Texas from Milam county or the floriator district will be determined altogether on how by public declaration the candidate proposes to deal with the acute problems of finance now confronting the state. The people everywhere should demand the frankest expression on this one vital subject of the day. The burden of government has fallen on a few in Texas. The work of the next legislature must be one of retrenchment. There can be no plausible explanation of the tremendous increase in appropriations with the resulting over-draft of the funds. Government is costing too much and the burdens of taxation are not sufficiently distributed to insure equality.

If the Commercial Club fails again this year to promote a live stock, poultry and agricultural show commensurate with the needs of Cameron and Milam county it will have failed to meet a signal need of the day. If we do not spend more time looking after the development of the essential industries of our counties we will fall very far short of progressive citizenship and will have failed to play our part as we should. The club should sponsor this move as a further justification of its right to exist.

## Near East Relief Day Sunday, March 2, 1924

O. L. Kidd, chairman of the Milam County Near East Relief states that all arrangements have been completed for a general canvass of Cameron for funds Sunday, March 2, 1924. Because the appeal of the Near East Relief is seemingly an old done, many people do not realize that the need in Bible lands is still very great.

The Relief in the Smyrna was successful but it left the treasury exhausted and the orphanage food supply depleted to the point of extreme danger. The Near East Relief is caring for many thousand of children

in the orphanages and many thousand more are receiving a measure of support out side the orphanages.

All children have been removed from Turkish territory to either Greece or Syria and to abandon them now would be worse than never to have rescued them at all.

Whatever happens, relief activities cannot be discontinued until these children reach maturity.

Mr. Kidd further states that the committee anticipates a liberal return and asks that every one contribute as much as their means justify.

## MASONS HONOR MEMORY OF GEORGE WASHINGTON

SPEECHES ENCOURAGES ADHERANCE TO IDEALS OF FATHER OF COUNTRY.

The Masons of Milam county in a service here on Friday night February 22 paid tribute to the memory of George Washington, the Mason and carried out a program of inspiration.

On account of the weather the lodge room was not filled but many came for the service.

Rev. R. S. Marshall speaking on "Equality and Law Enforcement" developed in fine exposition and oratory the story of civilization and the need for better elements in our national life.

S. P. Cross, worshipful master stated the purpose of the meeting and took a part in the program, delivering an address on "Why The Bible Should Be Read in the Public Schools."

Rev. Jesse Garrett of Rockdale spoke on "George Washington the Mason," a stirring appeal to Masons to incorporate the faith of the fathers in their living.

Hon. E. A. Camp of Rockdale spoke to the Masons for the good of the order, appealing for positive characteristics in good citizenship.

Judge John Waston delivered a short appreciated talk along the lines of fellowship and J. B. White in a short talk urged the need of greater fraternity.

John B. McLane had on exhibition for the occasion a copy of the Ulster County Gazette giving the account of the funeral of George Washington. The paper was printed in 1800 and is 104 years old, being in a fine state of preservation.

A number of patriotic songs were sung and the service was closed with a prayer by Rev. R. S. Marshall.

## EPISCOPAL MINISTER IS HERE TO PREACH SUNDAY

RESIDENT PASTOR FOR EPISCOPAL CONGREGATION WILL PREACH SUNDAY.

Rev. J. P. Love, pastor of the Episcopal church in Cameron, arrived here Thursday and will preach at the church Sunday morning at the eleven o'clock hour.

Mrs. Love and their two sons are expected to arrive in Cameron from Harrisburg next week. They will reside in Cameron and Mr. Love will preach in Cameron on Sunday morning and will go to Rockdale each Sunday for night services. He will be pastor at Cameron and Rockdale.

The people of Cameron and of other congregations as well as the ministers here will welcome Mr. Love to Cameron and will be interested in his efforts and wish him much success.

## CLEAN UP DAYS TO BE OBSERVED IN CAMERON

MARCH 10 TO MARCH 22 SET ASIDE FOR SPRING SANITARY CAMPAIGN.

In compliance with the request of sanitary officer Dr. G. E. Sutton and the annual clean up custom in the city 12 days beginning March 10 and ending March 22, will be observed in Cameron as Clean Up Days.

The Civic League, Lions Club, Commercial Club, and other clubs will cooperate with the sanitary officers in the clean up campaign and the city will furnish transportation as in 1923 when the campaign was conducted.

Tuesday night Dr. G. E. Sutton, E. W. Steel, representing the state health department, and Mayor J. B. White, held a meeting with the negro citizens at the school house and arranged for co-operation among these people during the campaign.

The following proclamation has been issued by Mayor J. B. White:

"Whereas, the protection of the public health is of supreme importance, demanding at all times the most secure safeguards, enactment of laws and programs of sanitation, and  
"Whereas, the time of the year has come in Cameron when measures to protect the public health must be inaugurated and the co-operation of the entire populace be given the authorities charged with the sanitary regulations and the work of safeguarding the public health, and  
"Whereas, to effectively bring

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## "America Looks Like My Mother" Says Starving Armenian Waif Whose Hands Stretch Out For Food

A little Armenian child told United States Senator King that she is sure America looks like her mother who died from starvation because Armenian food did not reach her in time. This little girl is one among 60,000 orphans now being cared for by American aid.

O. L. Kidd, county chairman, for the Near East Relief, has sent out the following letter:

"It has long been the custom for people to gather in all the streets radiating from Trinity Church, in New York City, to listen to the chimes that, for over a century, have paid their tributes to the old and pealed forth their greetings to the new year. As usual, and despite the fog and cold of 1923-24, throngs followed the old, old custom and gathered about the up-pointing spire of Old Trinity; while in distant parts of the country a great invisible radio-audience thrilled to the music that counseled, Peace on earth, good-will toward men! A beautiful custom, truly, these hymns of the midnight chimes, and one that would be sadly missed should it be abandoned.

"For several years, the kind and generous hearts of America have kept alive the little bodies of approximately 60,000 orphans in the Near East, so that it also has come to be one of America's customs—a divine one, surely, for in what better way could the spirit of Peace on earth, good-will toward men, be exemplified than by feeding and clothing these little ones who so sadly need our help?

"Senator King, visiting the or-

## Proclamation

(Near East Relief)

Whereas, the American people for several years have out of their generosity and deep sympathy for suffering humanity, contributed of their means in saving from starvation and death many thousands of children in the Near East, and

Whereas, by their great work of charity and Christianity, the American people have become the leaders in the greatest humanitarian movement in the history of the world, and

Whereas, it is necessary that this work be continued until the lives of 60,000 of these little children have been made safe from the dangers of famine, persecution and death, and

Whereas, the people of Milam county will have a big part in the annual collection of funds for the Near East relief, Sunday afternoon March 2, 1924, being designated as the time of beginning this canvass, Hon. O. L. Kidd, county chairman, and Hon. Roy Baskin, county treasurer, setting out the plans of the campaign in appeals addressed to the people of the county, therefore,

I, J. B. White, mayor of the City of Cameron, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do proclaim Sunday, March 2, 1924, a day of charity on which the people of Cameron may have opportunity to aid in this work of saving human lives.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand this 28th day of Feb. A. D. 1924, and have caused the seal of office to be affixed.

J. B. WHITE,  
Attest, Mayor City of Cameron.  
R. D. BROWN, Secretary.

## CEMETERY ASSOCIATION MEETING IS ANNOUNCED

MISS SMITH CALLS MEETING FOR WEDNESDAY MARCH 5 AT CHURCH.

Miss Aetna Smith has called a meeting of the Cemetery Association to be held on Wednesday afternoon March 5 in the Presbyterian church. Miss Aetna as president of the association is very anxious to get a good attendance for the meeting as there are a number of important matters to come up for discussion.

The association has not met for a number of months since its re-organization last year. The hour set for the meeting next Wednesday is 3 o'clock.

## Second Coming of Christ Sermon For Sunday Night

"What will Take Place After Christ Comes," will be the subject of the sermon Sunday night at the Baptist church when Rev. E. S. Hutcherson preaches the fourth of a series of sermons on the second coming of Christ.

Rev. Hutcherson is now in Fort Worth attending a conference of Baptist leaders and will return to Cameron the latter part of the week.

The special series of sermons is attracting large crowds to the church, on last Sunday night the pastor speaking to a well filled house despite the cold weather.

In the subject of the second coming of Christ Mr. Hutcherson undertakes a discussion of the scriptures as they are interpreted by himself as well as the leading Bible scholars and the sermons have found wide approval among the people.

Conversions have resulted from practically all of these services and since Mr. Hutcherson has been pastor of the church there has been about 50 additions to the church or an average of more than three for each Sunday.

The church has prospered in every way and it appears to the members that the administration of the church will be the best in its history.

## CREDIT IS GIVEN FOR H. M. ROARK CANDIDATE 3 YEAR FIRE RECORD FOR THE OFFICE OF CLERK

FIFTEEN PER CENT REDUCTION FROM RATES GIVEN BY INSURANCE COMMISSION.

The Fire Insurance Commission of Texas has given the city of Cameron a credit of 15 per cent from the old rate as a result of the good fire record for the past three years.

The reduction will amount to about \$5,000 per year to the payers of insurance in Cameron. The total premiums for the year amount to about \$55,000 or more.

The credit of fifteen per cent is maximum credit that can be given. Cameron is one of the few towns in Texas to be able to get the maximum credit for a good fire record. During the period of three years a total of \$162,000 was paid out for insurance and the loss was slightly in excess of \$25,000.

The good fire record is due to good fortune and to the good work of the fire department and the insurance agents in writing policies. The city is careful in every way to give adequate protection.

This good record can be maintained only in the event that during the coming years the fire loss is kept to the minimum. The city lost its credit when the compress fire of 1920 meant a loss of over one million dollars.

With the co-operation of all concerned the fire losses can be kept to the minimum and the credit be made permanent. Within ten years time the credits in fire insurance ratings and the key rate coming as a result of the good fire record and the improvement of the water supply, more than \$100,000 will be saved to the people of Cameron.

The credit is effective March 1st, and affects policies written after that date.

On account of inclement weather no meetings of the Missionary Societies were held in any of the churches on Monday afternoon of this week.

The Presbyterian ladies will have an apron and bonnet sale at Schiller's Drug Store on March 3rd and 4th to secure funds for their new church enterprise.

## CITY BUYS NEW STREET EQUIPMENT FOR CAMERON

C. R. PHILLIPS ANNOUNCES PURCHASE OF ONE MAN GRADER ON TRACTOR POWER.

The city government has purchased a one man grader which is propelled by a Fordson Tractor, being a part of the tractor and said to be the finest small grader to be had.

The grader is operated by one man is known as the Wehr product. The grader was received and placed in the service of the street department Thursday where it is said the first work done is satisfactory in every way and the city believes it will give the best of satisfaction.

Mr. Phillips says that the plan will be to keep the grader in operation at all times as it requires only one man to operate it. This is the fourth power unit purchased for the street department during the past year.

POPULAR COUNTY CLERK ASKS RE-ELECTION FOR SECOND TERM IN OFFICE.

H. M. Roark has announced as a candidate for re-election to the office of county clerk of Milam county subject to action of the Democratic Primary in July.

Mr. Roark is asking for re-election on his record in office and for a second term in office, believing in the democratic precedent of two terms in office.

The announcement from Mr. Roark that he will be a candidate for re-election to this office will be received with interest by his friends in all sections of the county. His first term in office which will end Jan. 1, 1925 has been marked with splendid efficiency and courteous treatment of the public in every way.

The Thorndale Champion has the following to say as to Mr. Roark's candidacy for re-election to the office of county clerk and the Herald can think of no better tribute to his worth than what is said by his hometown paper:

"In this issue of the Champion appears the announcement of H. M. Roark as a candidate for re-election to the office of county clerk of Milam county subject to the action of the democratic primary election.

"Mr. Roark is known in Thorndale and to Champion readers in the southern and western portions of Milam county as no other county official, by most every man, woman and child ten years old, and he can count his personal friends by his acquaintance and, perhaps, could count his political supporters by the same method were the issues involved in political years not clouded by selfish leaders for self-aggrandizement. Though being in office but one year he has demonstrated his special fitness as county clerk and has thus far proved to be one of the most efficient public officials Milam county has ever had.

"While Mr. Roark is courteous and attentive to the wants of all he is at the same time conducting his office on the highest business basis. No official could be more prompt in discharging the multiplicity of duties incumbent upon a county clerk, and his unusual record in this respect is the result of an alert mind well directed enabling him to build up an organization of office assistants dependable in every detail. His twenty years at the head of a school has helped him to cultivate the training which develops a real man.

"Mr. Roark is honest to the core, he is capable industrious and conscientious, and his record as county clerk has been satisfactory to the most exacting. He will greatly appreciate the votes of the men and women of Milam county, promising to give to the head of a school has helped him to have gotten from his first term in office if that should help him to render a better service than before.

"The Champion does not know of any opponent coming out to oppose Mr. Roark and his friends in Thorndale hope he will not have any."

Misses Lois Burnett and Lola Clinton, who have been in the Cameron Hospital, following appendicitis operations, were able to be carried to their homes Friday.



## WHY BANKS?

### LESSON V

By J. H. PUELICHER, Chairman.

Committee on Public Education, American Bankers Association.

Why does not the banker pay *savers* as high interest on their money as he charges *borrowers* when he loans them that same money? Text books say he must charge more than he pays so as to meet *overhead expenses*, his *unavoidable losses*, and *dividends*.



J. H. Puelicher

**OVERHEAD EXPENSES** = cost and maintenance of the bank building, with costly equipment, such as steel vaults, so the depositors' money will be safe; light, heat, supplies, fire and theft insurance; taxes; and salaries to men and women employees of honesty and ability.

**UNAVOIDABLE LOSSES** = occasional unrepaid loans made to those who have the misfortune to fail in business. Although bankers exercise great caution and are experts in judging business conditions and character, they sometimes have such losses.

These must be met out of the gross profits from interest charged borrowers above that paid depositors—as fire insurance companies meet losses out of reserve funds created by careful investment of premiums.

**DIVIDENDS** = money divided among stockholders out of clear profits left over after overhead, losses and all other interests of the depositors have been fully taken care of.

Thus bankers pay depositors less interest on their savings than they charge the borrowers of those savings so that they can earn funds to meet the expenses of rendering efficient, careful and valuable services to the depositors.

## STRAIGHT TALKS WITH AUNT EMMY

### ABOUT THE HOUSE MONEY

Aunt Emmy found Molly crying as if her heart would break.

"What's the matter, Molly dear?" she asked, patting the bride's shoulder.

"Oh, Aunt Emmy, it's that horrid money. The household money is gone again, and I don't know where it went. I can't tell Ted, and yet I can't finish out the week. And I was going to save some every week, too!" she wailed.

"So that's it! It certainly does beat all how silly people are about money. Now stop crying, Molly, and tell me how much you are short this week."

"Ten dollars," sobbed Molly.

"Dry your eyes and come out with me," comforted Aunt Emmy. "Everything will be all right. The bank is soliciting small accounts. I noticed they have thrift accounts, too—"

"I don't care," sobbed Molly. "I can't have a bank account. No money."

"You are going to open both a household checking account and a thrift account. A thrift account can

be opened with one dollar, and you must put aside a certain sum every week. You should save two dollars each week. Money that you once get your hands on is mighty hard to save, so when we go to the bank we will ask them to take two dollars out of your weekly household money deposit and put it in your thrift account. The thrift account will pay interest."

"But how can I keep my bankbook straight?" sighed Molly.

"You can add and subtract, can't you?" snapped Aunt Emmy. "You went to school, you know, and the bank will be glad to show you at first. Come on, Molly, let's be going."

At the bank Aunt Emmy gave Molly a check to start her account. "You can give this back to me at the end of the year, Molly. You can save it easily. Never buy by telephone. See everything for yourself. Keep accurate accounts, pay your bills promptly and don't carry money around with you."

When they came out of the bank Molly was the proud possessor of two pass books and a check book.

"I've always been afraid of banks," said Molly, "but I didn't know people in them could be so friendly. And besides getting things down in black and white this way will make it a lot easier to keep them straight. I just know it will!"

Aunt Emmy smiled knowingly.—

ANNE B. AYMES.

### APPEAL TO THE SCHOOL BOARD AND THE WHITE PEOPLE GENERALLY.

The question at issue in the minds of the colored people is: Do the white people care for our educational advancement? I would like to say in the beginning that I hope what I say will be received and considered in the spirit in which it is written.

I have always tried to work for the general good of our community and help to make sentiment that would cause you white people to sympathize with us and do the best for us you could. I say that you white people do care; some say, you don't care. The main trouble is that you do not know enough about what we think about our condition. You are misled because we are of a non-complaining disposition. You take it for granted that we are satisfied many times when we are not. He speaks his sentiments at the big gate and not at the big house and he is a diplomat for that, but there comes a time when those in the big house should know what is in the minds of those at the big gate; should know for the general good of all.

God has made the colored man with a disposition different from that of any other race. He leaves every injustice done him to be settled by his God, and in doing so, he is absolutely right. Notwithstanding, Christ was a Jew. He put forth great effort to show that he cared for the Gentiles too. The colored man has been interwoven into the industrial fabric of the South, thereby making him a factor to be considered. To take him out, would somewhat derange the fabric. We have cleared the forest, we have tilled the soil, we have made the best household servants in the world. We have helped build great Southern cities, railways, highways, and manufacturing concerns. In fact we helped to build the South and we want to stay here and build a greater South, but we must, both white and colored, meet new conditions and master them. If the South would keep this advantage, it will be compelled to use the theme that President Cleveland was elected on, and that theme was: No longer a theory but a condition, confronts the people. It is no longer a secret that hundreds of thousands of colored people yearly are going north. We must outbid the

north and keep our advantages and we can if we will. The best way to outbid the north is to improve the black man's condition so he won't be grumbling at the big gate. I know of great numbers of colored people who have already gone north and I often say, "I don't want to go, but I want my children to have a better education."

The city stopped building wooden culverts and built concrete which is permanent. The best is the cheapest in time.

The Santa Fe built a depot that was in keeping with the resources of Cameron and would not have to build a new one every time the census was taken, so we colored people hope and beg that you white people will build a \$25,000 school house and not have to build every time the census is taken.

Think what we think when we see the school at Taylor, Navasota, Bryan and a hundred other Texas towns. Cameron is growing. Let us build an educational foundation that we will not have to repair so often.

I know that you white people will do as much for us as the white people in the towns I have named.

Yours for a Better School,  
SAM STEVENS.

### CAMERON DRUGGISTS GO TO HEARNE.

W. A. Thomas, a son of Geo. A. Thomas, who established a drug store in Cameron about thirty-three years ago, and Billie Meyer, the present prescription clerk in the store, have bought a drug business in Hearne. Mr. Thomas has already taken charge and Mr. Meyer will move over about the 15th of March.

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Troubling You

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Eating too much rich food creates acids, which excite the kidneys. They become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood. Then we get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys, or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin drinking a quart of water each day, also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, and in a few days your kidneys may act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to flush and stimulate the kidneys; also to help neutralize the acids in the system, so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby often avoiding serious kidney complications. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

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## INSURANCE CREDITS TO BENEFIT ALL CAMERON

AGENT S. P. CROSS WRITES AP-  
PRECIATION OF EFFORTS IN  
BRINGING CREDITS.

In a letter to Mayor J. B. White in which he discusses the low fire insurance rates in Cameron reduced because of the improvements and the good fire record for the years 1921-22-23, S. P. Cross, agent for fire insurance companies, declares that lower rates will bring a greater volume of business, in addition to other benefits to the City.

Mr. Cross praises the fire department and all those who have been working in behalf of the people in the insurance rate reduction:

Cameron, Texas, Feb. 27, 1924.

Mr. J. B. White, Mayor

Cameron, Texas.

Dear Mr. White:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your wire sent from Austin the 25th inst. in which you state: "Have secured maximum fire credit for Cameron effective March first."

I understand that this reduction will affect only fire policies on risks within the city limits of Cameron issued on and after March 1st.

I wish to express to you my appreciation for the effort you have put forth in getting the rate decreased—I believe if you had not gone to Austin we should not have had authority to write policies at the reduced rate by the first of March.

Of course this lower rate will cause a reduction of the agent's commission, but I have always found that when the rate is low I am able to get a larger volume of business.

Cameron has a low rate compared to other towns of its size in the state, and also to cities with paid fire department, due to the splendid service rendered by our volunteer fire boys and the equipment which the city has furnished for fighting fires.

Very truly yours,  
S. P. CROSS.

FOR SALE—Northeast half of block in Hefley Heights. Owner, Mrs. Lora Gillon, 3311 Drexel Drive, Dallas, Texas.



## Seventeen Cases On Appeal From Milam; Fourteen Are For Liquor Violations

Frank Bartek, who plead guilty to unlawfully manufacturing intoxicating liquor and given one year in the penitentiary was conveyed to the penitentiary by Bud Russell, transfer agent, for the penitentiary.

The case of the State of Texas vs. Sid Grant charged with assault with intent to murder is now on trial. The State is represented by County Attorney A. J. Lewis, the defendant by Henderson, Kidd & Henderson. Grant is charged with having shot R. V. Nelson about October 22, 1923.

A new term of the District Court of Milam county will convene in Cameron Monday March 3rd, 1924. The case of the State of Texas vs. Gambrial Horak charged with manufacturing intoxicating liquors is set for Tuesday March 4th, 1924. The Petit Jury for this week will appear Tuesday morning March 4th, as there is no case set for Monday. Following is a list of the Petit Jury for the first week of the March Term of said Court. Said Jury to appear in Cameron on Tuesday March 4th, 1924. All excuses should be rendered in writing to Judge Watson and by so doing much delay will be saved.

Carl Schwarz, Oscar Patillo, Wm. Rogers, A. J. Jungerman, J. H. Oliver, A. R. Glascock, F. B. Brown, W. A. Beal, Harry O. Clark, W. B. Burnett, S. R. Phillips, Van Tyson, Chas. McDermott, T. M. Hightower, Earnest Noack, A. N. Weems, W. C. Marrs, S. E. Brogdon, E. B. Heyer, A. M. Barber, D. W. Stevens, L. A. Fikes, Geo. Laffere, Frank Monroe, W. V. Chapman, J. L. Hobson, C. S. Mulhns, John A. Catchings, I. B. Conn, J. L. Clinton, J. B. Rogers, Preston Laird, H. C. Vance, T. J. Carver, Jr., A. Y. Norman and John Young.

The following criminal cases were convicted in Milam county and are now on appeal in the Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin, Texas.

State vs. Raymond Allison, two years, felony theft.

State vs. O. Gandy, two years, transporting intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Henry Taylor, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Frank Stach, one year, possessing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. John Gandy, one year, selling intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Horace Pruett, two years, bigamy.

State vs. Pedro Costillo, one year, possessing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. H. Rosenthal, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Paul Hubnik, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Frank Mikulec, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Henry Rhodes, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. J. P. Ponton, one year, transporting intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Wesley Stevens, six months in jail and a fine of \$600 aggravated assault.

State vs. Wesley Stevens, two years manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Jim Brashear, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

State vs. Ed. Beard, five years, murder.

State vs. Dewey Gandy, one year, manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

In the case of State of Texas vs. James Canady, charged with burglary the jury found the defendant guilty and fixed his punishment at two years in the penitentiary and further recommended that his sentence be suspended.

### MILAM COUNTY CLUB MEETS.

The monthly meeting of the Milam County Club, Friday evening, held in the Original Mexican Restaurant, was featured by several old-time favorite violin numbers, played by S. S. Carter, one of the "fiddlers" who lived in Milam county more than 50 years ago. Mr. Carter was accompanied on the piano by his daughter, Miss Lora. "Arkansas Traveler," "Turkey in the Straw," "Old Gray Mare," and other homely classics were among the numbers.

The club had a varied program of Luther M. Bickett presided as toastmaster, and among those who speeches and recitation numbers, sponsored with short, reminiscent addresses were Ira J. Perry, Dr. H. M. Hunter, E. F. Hunter, Harry H. Wil-



McADOO ONCE EMPLOYED  
BY DOHENY APPEARS  
BEFORE THE SENATE.

William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury in the Cabinet of the late Woodrow Wilson, yesterday voluntarily appeared before the special Senate Committee and

testified that as Counsel for Doheny he was interested only in Mexican affairs and had nothing to do with the Teapot Dome lease. He received a hand of applause when he turned his back on the committee to pose for photographers. Photo of Mr. McAdoo at the meeting. (Photos from Wide World Photos.)

liams, Mrs. E. J. Gray, Mrs. R. C. Culbertson.

Major Pat J. Cassidy of Dublin, Ireland, formerly of the British army, wounded in the Ballpiti campaign, who came to this country at the close of the war and lived in Rockdale for two or three years, where he operated in the oil fields, was introduced by Ira Perry. Major Cassidy paid great tribute to the friendship and hospitality of the Rockdale people among whom he lived. Major Cassidy now lives in San Antonio.

The following were present: Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Gray, L. M. Bickett, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hunter, Mrs. John H. Bickett, L. P. McCord, Mrs. R. C. Kiker, Mrs. C. P. Jones, Mrs. John Wright, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Ladis, Dorothy Gene Lattimer, Major Pat H. Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Perry, Milton Perry, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Lattimer, Jr., Robert Culbertson, Miss Lillie Gurneth, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Williams, Misses Ruby and Nona June Williams, Mrs. J. D. Fowler, Mrs. A. K. McElroy, Mrs. M. Dieckman, Mr. and Mrs. Thornhill, Mr. and Mrs. Gary F. Hamblin, Miss Alice Gohman, Mrs. H. Driver, R. M. Parker, Louise Parker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hauser, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Carstem, J. C. Gohman, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bills, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jett, Bonnie Bell Jett, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bowen, Geo. Gidel, Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hunter, Mrs. H. H. Lehman, Mrs. J. C. Valentine, Mrs. A. H. Davis, Mrs. J. M. Davis, Brandon Bickett, Mrs. S. F. Smith, Mrs. Robert P. Coon, Mary Elizabeth Coon, H. K. Newport—San Antonio Express.

### ELECTION NOTICE.

WHEREAS, the Ordinances of the City of Cameron require the holding of the regular annual election of officers for the City of Cameron, Texas, for the year 1924;

THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Cameron, that an election be held in said City of Cameron on the 1st day of April A. D. 1924, the same being the first Tuesday in said month for the purpose of electing the following officers, to-wit:

Mayor, Secretary and Treasurer, City Attorney, Assessor and Collector, Marshal and five Aldermen; and it is so ordered.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election: Alex Triggs, presiding judge, and such other assistants and clerks as shall be appointed by said Alex Triggs to assist in accordance with law. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of said City shall serve as a proper notice of said election; and the Mayor is directed to cause notice of said election to be posted at the place designated for holding said election, and by printing in the Cameron Herald for at least thirty days

### CONSTABLE'S SALE.

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Milam.

By virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Milam county, on the 8th day of February 1924, by J. M. Ralston, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. One of said Milam county against Marshall E. Weems for the sum of One Hundred Sixteen and 19-100 (\$116.19) Dollars with 10 per cent interest per annum from Jan. 28th, 1924 and \$11.61 attorney's fees and costs of suit, in cause No. 2109 in said Court, styled Robert McLane Company a corporation, versus Marshall E. Weems and placed in my hands for service, I Chas. Sens as constable of Precinct No. One, Milam county, Texas, did on the 9th day of February 1924 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Milam county, described as follows, to-wit:

All of the right, title and interest of the said Marshall E. Weems in and to the following described tract of land; all that certain tract of land in Milam county, Texas, out of the A. B. Hayworth league grant and is that part of the 156 1-2 acres set apart to the said W. S. Massengale in the partition of the said tract between himself and the heirs of T. L. Massengale and contains 100 1-2 acres and begins at S. E. Cor. of the 45 acres surveyed out of said tract for A. L. Massengale, John C. Massengale, Emma Williams and Joanna Harrell on 26th July 1876, a stake for N. E. Cor. of this from which a P O 3 inches in dia. brs. N. 4 W. 8 3-4 vrs. and another 6 inches in dia. brs. S. 68 W. 15 1-2 vrs.; thence S. 19 W. 37 1-2 vrs. to N. E. Cor. of 11 acres surveyed for H. M. Massengale and now owned by said Harrell minors for S. E. Cor. of this; thence N. 71 W. 1524 vrs. to N. W. Cor. of said 11 acre tract for S. W. Corner of this; thence N. 19 E 372 1-2 vrs. to S. W. Cor. of said 45 acres for N. W. Cor. of this a stake from which a P O 9 inches in dia. brs. N. 48 E. 8 1-2 vrs.; thence S. 71 E. 1524 vrs. to the place of beginning and being same land described in Vol. 82 page 211 deed records of Milam county, Texas, and levied up on as the property of said Marshall E. Weems, and on Tuesday, the 4th day

of March, 1924, at the Court House door of Milam county, in the City of Cameron, Texas between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Marshall E. Weems by virtue of said levy and said Writ of Execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Cameron Herald a newspaper published in Milam county.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of February 1924. 41-4t

CHAS. SENS, Constable,  
Precinct 1, Milam County, Texas.

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## How Much Does It Cost to Borrow?

It all depends on how and where you borrow, as shown in this table of approximate rates compiled for the Journal of the American Bankers Association:

Institution	Method of Borrowing	Rate
COMMERCIAL BANK	DISCOUNT OWN NOTE	5 1/2 %
	SECURED LOAN	5 1/2
	BROKER'S CALL LOAN	4 1/2
COMMERCIAL PAPER	THROUGH BROKER — 3 MONTHS	5 1/2
	— 6 MONTHS	5 1/2
SAVINGS BANKS AND INSURANCE COMPANIES	DIRECT MORTGAGE	6
	MORTGAGE EXTENSION	6
AGRICULTURAL BANKS	FEDERAL FARM LOAN BANKS	6
	JOINT STOCK LAND BANKS	6
INVESTMENT SECURITIES	REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES	6 1/7
	MUNICIPAL BONDS (1ST GRADE)	4 1/2
	INDUSTRIAL BONDS " "	6
	RAILROAD BONDS " "	5
FINANCE COMPANY	ADVANCE AGAINST RECEIVABLES AT 1 1/2 % PER DAY	14.6
	ADVANCE AGAINST AUTOMOBILE PAPER AT 1 1/2 % PER MONTH	18
PERSONAL LOAN SOCIETY	GOOD SECURITY OR ENDORSEMENT	6
	UNSECURED OR CHATTEL MORTGAGE	42
MERCANTILE CREDIT	HOUSEHOLD GOODS. 3 1/2 % MONTHLY	36.00
	TERMS 2% 10 DAYS, NET 30 DAYS	26.00
	" 2 10 " " 60 "	14.00
	" 5 10 " " 60 "	36.00
	" 5 10 " " 4 MONTHS	16.36

The above figures show that for the class of notes acceptable at a commercial bank, the rates charged are about 5 1/2 per cent, whereas for loans at a store they run as high as 36 per cent, and for chattel mortgages, 42 per cent. The rates given here represent the direct cost charged by the institutions named; in each case the total cost to the borrower is made slightly higher by indirect costs, such as stamp taxes, legal, brokerage or

other fees. Thus the total cost to the borrower, who discounts his own note at a bank for 5 1/2 per cent, is 5.74 per cent due to deduction of interest in advance, stamp tax and computation on a 360 day basis. In the case of mercantile credit the total cost sometimes goes over 38 per cent and for chattel mortgages over 45 per cent. The above figures, however, give the comparative charges as made by the loaning institutions themselves.

# ATTENTION

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6 big cans kraut for.....\$1.00  
5 cans 25c apricots for.....\$1.00  
8 cans good corn for.....\$1.00  
No. 1 Telmo Peas, can.....20c  
Canned Beef, can.....30c  
Prairie Hay, ton for.....\$25.00  
Red Oats, bushel for.....67c  
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## COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for the Democratic Primary, July 26, 1924:

For Sheriff:  
DRUE S. ROGERS.  
(re-election)

For County Superintendent:  
J. O. HUGHES.  
MRS. KATHERINE ROBBINS

For Public Weigher Precinct 7:  
ED. WESTBROOK.  
A. N. BRYSON  
(Re-election)  
JORN CHOLLETT.

For Tax Collector:  
ROY LAW.

For Commissioner, Precinct 7:  
CHAS. MAAS.

For Commissioner Precinct 4:  
LUTHER McDONALD.

For County Treasurer:  
R. TODD.

For Tax Assessor:  
MISS LELIA WOOLLEY.

For County Clerk:  
H. M. ROARK  
(re-election)

## LADIES' RAINBOW SAXOPHONE BAND.

"Mrs. Hewling is very fine with cornet, saxophone and drums," but whistling is her hobby. She loves to whistle, and with this rare gift she charms her audience everywhere. She is one of the most unique characters in the country, as well as one of our most famous musicians."—Musical Monitor.

"Sue Ernest Hewling is one of the most versatile artists to visit our city."—Minneapolis News.

"Rainbow at night—Sailor's Delight." The old adage proves true of the Ladies' Rainbow Saxophone Band and Orchestra, as well as of the colored arch which appears in the sky after a storm. The concert which will be given by this orchestra on Wednesday evening March 5 will be a musical even of the season, and will delight all who hear it.

The name of this group was taken from the famous "Rainbow Division" of the U. S. Army, with which the orchestra did extensive entertainment service during the World War. The rainbow idea is carried out in the different colored costumes on the musicians and in electrical effects during the program.

Mrs. Sue Ernest Hewling, director of the Ladies' Rainbow Orchestra is a whistler of well-known reputation having made records for the Victor phonograph. She is also gifted on saxophone, trumpet, slide-cornet and drums. She has surrounded herself with a group of six unusually talented assisting artists, who play saxophones, trumpets, trombone, cello, violin and piano.

The variety of instruments used gives a program of orchestral, band and chamber music, and also a brass trio and some vocal numbers. Mrs. Hewling's whistling is a decided feature of the evening's entertainment. The selections played include

both classical and popular numbers, assuring the enjoyment of all types of music lovers.

A press comment from Greencastle, Indiana, regarding this attraction reads as follows: "The Saxophone Band is a unique and wonderful organization. The stage setting was enhanced with beautiful and effective lighting in rainbow and patriotic colors. Sue Ernest Hewling is the guiding spirit, the director, the whistler, the dispenser of happy talk, player of innumerable instruments, and withal a stage presence that puts her at her best in everything she undertakes."

The above attraction will be given at the Yoe High School Auditorium next Wednesday evening, March 5.

In order not to interfere with the prayer meeting services the program will not begin until 8:15.

## LIONS HEAR TALKS ON COMMUNITY SERVICE

## SPONSOR 42 PARTY FOR BENEFIT OF BOY SCOUTS AND PLAN CIVIC PROGRAM.

Co-operation, closer consideration of civic duties and a program of civic participation were the outstanding features of the Tuesday luncheon of the Lion's Club.

The club will sponsor a 42 party and entertainment for Friday night February 28 at which an admission charge of 50c will be made, the proceeds to go to the fund for the support of the Boy Scouts, two troupes having been organized here.

The Lion's Club organized the boy scout troupes and is now undertaking to finance the scouts and is giving the entertainment for the purpose of raising funds.

H. F. Smith, Jr., was toastmaster at the meeting Tuesday and announced the coming entertainment. Tickets are to be placed on sale in ample time to accommodate all who will attend the party. Mr. Smith as toastmaster urged the Lions to take a more active part in the work.

T. S. Henderson, Jr., made a report on the district meeting of the Lions held at Austin last week, having been appointed a delegate to the meeting.

J. B. White told of his trip to Austin Monday in company with Paul Webb, City Attorney, to look after insurance matters for the city and also made a short talk on the idea of co-operation and closer attention to duties as citizens, urging active work and study of community problems.

The club went on record for work at the city park in taking care of the trees at the park and to aid the civic league and the city council. A motion was passed and the matter referred to the Civic Improvement Committee of which E. V. Ferguson is chairman.

President T. A. Fisher urged the Lions to greater efforts in making the organization stronger and of greater service to the community.

L. Van Perkins, new member, made a short talk for the good of the order. There were about 25 members at the luncheon.

## CLEAN UP DAY TO BE OBSERVED IN CAMERON

(continued from page one)

about better conditions of sanitation and reduce the chances for the recurrence of disease epidemics as has been true of past years, it becomes necessary to devote our time and means to the improvement of conditions in all sections of the city, and

"Whereas, it has been deemed advisable by the sanitary officer of the city of Cameron, that dates be designated on which the government of the city in co-operation with all the citizens, may conduct a campaign of sanitation to be known as Clean Up Days, therefore

"I, J. B. White, mayor of the City of Cameron, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby proclaim

that beginning Monday March 10, 1924, and ending Saturday March 22, 1924, a period of twelve days shall be observed as Clean Up Days in Cameron during which time the fullest co-operation of the people is asked that effective work may be done for better sanitation, the citizens being required during these days

to see that their premises are cleared of all rubbish, cans filth, and other materials capable of producing flies, mosquitoes and unhealthful conditions. "It is further proclaimed that during these days the city and the sanitary officer, Dr. G. E. Sutton, desire the co-operation of the Civic League and other similar organizations, com-

mercial bodies, clubs, etc., that the campaign of sanitation may be effective to the degree necessary for a better city in every way. The city government will place at the disposal of the sanitary officer and the citizens transportation by which rubbish may be hauled away and will co-operate in every way to make the

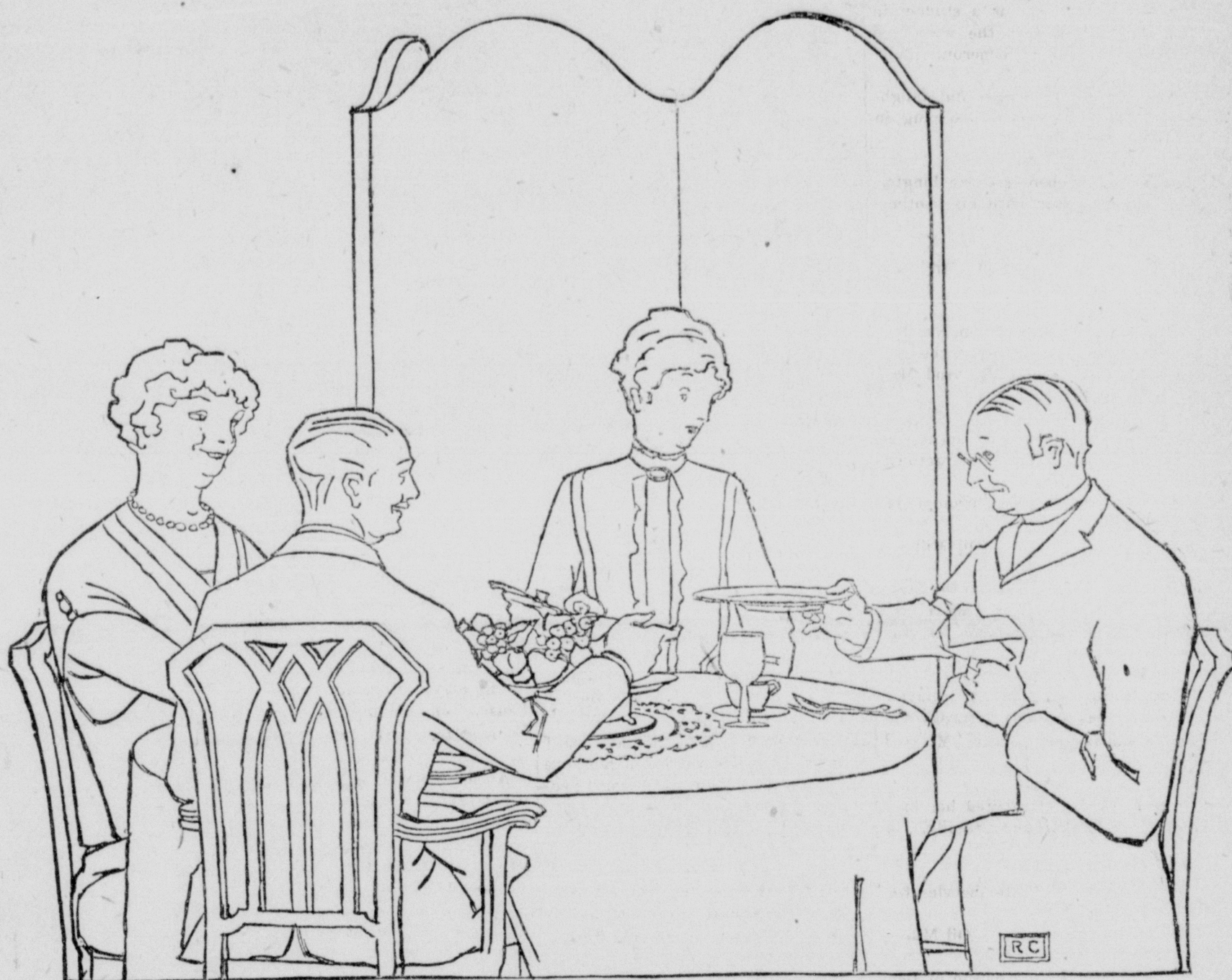
campaign a success.

"In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 28th day of February 1924, and have caused the seal of the City of Cameron to be affixed.

J. B. WHITE,

Attest, Mayor City of Cameron.  
R. D. BROWN, Secretary.

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1/2 cup Snowdrift 4 tablespoonfuls water (approximately)  
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Sift flour and salt into bowl. Cut in Snowdrift lightly and add just enough water to hold together, working very lightly. Roll on floured board to thin sheet. Place on back of pie

pan and bake until rich brown in quick oven. Remove from back of pan, place inside of pan and fill with any cooked filling. This is a very flaky, light, tender pastry.

All Measurements are Level

Using Snowdrift in your own favorite recipe is the best way to find out how good Snowdrift is. Remember to add salt because Snowdrift is sweet, fresh, and unsalted.



## The Development of our Railway Net in Texas

By WALTER SPLAWN  
Railroad Commissioner of Texas.



WALTER SPLAWN.

The second source of State aid consisted of land grants. Beginning with 1852 there was a brief period of special land grants to railroads. By the terms of these Acts, when a company had completed 5 miles or more of road it might receive 8 sections of land for every mile of road that had been finished. In 1854, a law was passed providing that whenever a company had completed 35 miles of road acceptably, it should be entitled to receive 16 sections of land for each mile of road completed. This Act was continued in force until 1909. Under it 40 new companies were chartered, but only 9 built sufficient mileage to obtain land from the State. The statute also provided that the roads should sell the land within a given period of time. Before 1860 the Harrisburg line sold 588,800 acres, donated to it by the State, for an average price of 18c per acre, or for the sum total of \$106,800.

The Civil War checked railway construction and not until 1870 was it resumed to any appreciable extent. That year 128 miles were built. In 1880, 632 miles were built. 1881 was the banner year of railroad construction in Texas, there being laid 1,669 miles. 1882 saw 1,096 miles completed. The next best year was 1887 with 964 miles. In the year 1891, Texas had 8,800 miles of railroad. That is to say, within a period of 20 years there had been constructed in Texas more than 8,000 miles of road. The most of this was built ahead of the traffic much of it into the frontier, even in advance of population. Let us inquire how this vast performance was accomplished in a new country and so sparsely settled as was Texas from 1870 till 1890. The sources of aid were much the same as before the Civil War, but differing in some respects. Individual gifts continued to be negligible, as compared with the sum total, and were important in defraying preliminary expenses. Stock subscriptions were perhaps less important than

before the Civil War, because of the difficulty of paying for the stock. There was no longer slave labor which could be exchanged for such stock. City and County bonds were a fairly important source of revenue. The following were some of the issues for the benefit of railroad construction of bonds for the benefit of the Houston & Great Northern.

February 12, 1874, Sherman voted \$84,000 in bonds for the benefit of the Texas & Pacific.

April 24, 1874, Dallas voted \$100,000 of bonds for the benefit of the Texas and Pacific.

June 6, 1876, Waxahachie voted \$64,000 of bonds for the benefit of the Houston & Texas Central.

In 1872, Smith County voted \$200,000 in bonds for the benefit of the Houston & Great Northern.

In 1875, Galveston County voted \$500,000 of bonds for the benefit of the Santa Fe.

It is doubtful if as much as \$1,500,000 was secured in this way before a Legislature passed a law forbidding use of municipal credit for the benefit of railway construction.

bounded as follows: Viz: Beginning at the N. E. Corner of a survey made for H. C. Moss out of the said Shelton survey for the N. E. Cor. of this survey from which a B J hrs. N. 16 E. 1 5-10 vrs. and a B J hrs. S. 79 W. 9 vrs.; thence N. 71 W. 658 vrs. to the N. E. Cor. of survey made for James Thompson in said Shelton headright survey for the N. W. Cor. of this survey, from which a stooping P O hrs. S. 36 1-2 E. 5 3-4 vrs. another P O hrs. N. 79 W. 9 4-10 vrs.; thence S 19 W. 867 vrs. to the N. W. Cor. of a survey made for A. S. Russell for S. W. Cor. of this tract; thence with the N. boundary line of said Russell survey 658 vrs. to his N. E. Cor. in the E. boundary line of said Moss survey the S. E. Cor. of this tract; thence N. 19 W. with the original East line of the James Shelton headright survey 867 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 100 acres of land, and being the same land conveyed to J. P. Sparks by Mag Chance by deed of record in Vol. 154 page 538 of the Milam county deed records.

The lease and leasehold interests given and granted to J. P. Sparks by the parties, herein mentioned, under the leases herein enumerated, to-wit: (a) Lease granted by J. M. Cave and wife on 72 acres of land, more or less, recorded in book 146 page 5 of Milam county deed records and in book 3 page 480 of the Milam county oil and gas lease records;

(b) Lease granted by J. B. Newton and Sons on 70 acres of land of record in Vol. 148 page 456 of Milam county deed records and in Vol. 3 page 475 of the Milam county oil and gas lease records;

(c) Lease granted by A. J. Cook to J. P. Sparks on 5 9-10 acres of record in Book 146 page 1 Milam county deed records;

(d) Lease granted by Richard Thompson and wife to J. P. Sparks on 59 acres more or less, of record in book 1, page 170, and book 3 page 466 of the Milam County oil and gas lease records;

(e) Lease granted by Willie Nelson and wife to J. P. Sparks on 24 1-2 acres by lease of record in Book 1 page 194 and in Book 3 page 479 of the Milam county oil and gas lease records;

(f) A lease granted by Joe Moore to J. P. Sparks on 50 acres of land, more or less, by lease of record in book 146 page 13 of Milam county deed records and in book 3 page 473 of the Milam county oil and gas lease records.

To each and all of which leases and their record reference is here made and same are made a part here of for a complete and definite description of said lands and leases.

(g) That certain lease and lease hold interest given and granted to B. Cox to J. P. Sparks upon 81 95-100 acres of land out of the N. W. Bush survey near the town of Milano, in Milam county, Texas, as such lease and lands are fully described in lease of record in Book 146 page 2 et seq. of the deed records of Milam county, together with mine, tools, equipment and appliances, dwellings, fixtures, commissary, stock and fixture, located at and upon said lands, together with each and all of the other articles, appliances, fixtures and properties with all right and interest in and to the said railroad spur connecting said mine with the said Santa Fe railroad company.

In addition to the above described properties all personal property situated on the lands and leases above herein described, mining equipment, tools, appliances, fixtures, cars, buildings and other property including tracks, right-of-way every other article or property of or choses, together with each and

any kind, in any way connected with the said above described premises; and also all of the right, title and interest of the said Empire Fuel Products Corporation held by it in and to a certain royalty interest of ten cents per ton on lignite mined on the properties conveyed or to be conveyed by the said Empire Fuel Products Corporation to J. P. Sparks of Rockdale, Texas, which said royalty interest is on all lignite sold or disposed of or purchased by the said Empire Fuel Products Corporation from the mines of said J. P. Sparks.

And I will proceed to sell the same

for cash within the hours prescribed by law for sheriff's sales on the first Tuesday in March, A. D. 1924, it being the 4th day of said month, before the court house door of Milam county, Texas, in the town of Cameron, Texas, together with all interest therein and thereto had or held by the Empire Fuel Products Corporation, Adam H. Davidson and A. H. Winston, jointly and severally, to satisfy a judgment in the sum of \$4,815.44, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 12th day of December A. D. 1923, the date of said judgment and for

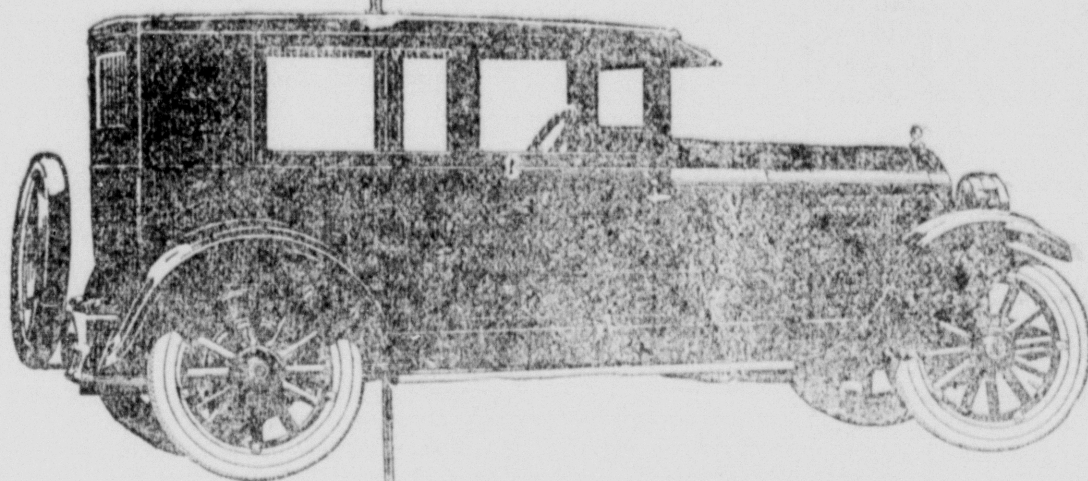
costs. Said judgment being rendered in the District Court of McLennan county, Texas, 74th Judicial District of Texas in the cause aforesaid of The Shear Company vs. Empire Fuel Products Corporation, and judgment being in favor of the plaintiff therein in The Shear Company against the defendants therein, Empire Fuel Products Corporation, Adam H. Davidson and A. H. Winston, jointly and severally.

Given under my hand this the 4 day of February, A. D. 1924.

D. S. Rogers, Sheriff.  
By P. S. Graves, Deputy. 40 31

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Cameron, Texas.

### MISS GLADYS HENRY GIVES CANNING DEMONSTRATION.

For several weeks Mrs. F. J. Clement has been planning and working up interest for a meat canning demonstration to be given by the county Home Demonstration Agent at Salty. The necessary arrangements having been made the demonstration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Clement at Salty Friday, enthusiasm for progressive ideas by Feb. 8, and the people showed their splendid attendance and intelligent interest.

About twenty-five people gathered to see the process demonstrated and many expressions of approvals both as to the simplicity and practicability of the process were given by those who came to learn. It was shown that every particle of the calf could be preserved as follows:

- 3 No. 3 cans of steak.
- 5 No. 3 cans of roast.
- 1 No. 3 can of gravy for seasoning.

- 1 No. 3 can of fried liver.
- 1 No. 2 can broiled tongue.
- 1 No. 2 can of baked heart.
- 12 No. 2 cans of vegetable soups.
- 2 No. 3 cans of soup stock.
- 7 No. 2 cans of chili.
- 5 No. 2 cans of hash.

Number of people are planning to buy the equipment for home use in order to preserve what is raised on the farm and otherwise would not be used to good advantage. The demonstration agent remained in Salty and gave a poultry culling demonstration Saturday afternoon where the same interest was manifested.

Since this is the first demonstration given here by Miss Henry, the County Demonstration Agent, she requests that it be said that she will be glad to hear from any body by letter addressed to her at Cameron if they are interested in either project canning or poultry raising for better production.—Thorndale Champion.

### NOTICE.

### SHERIFF'S SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Milam.

By virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of McLennan County, Texas, for the 74th Judicial District of Texas, on the 30th day of January A. D. 1924, by Clerk thereof, in the case of The Shear Company vs. Empire Fuel Products Corporation, et al' numbered 5677 on the docket of said court and to me as sheriff directed and delivered, I, as sheriff of Milam county, Texas, on the 4th day of February, A. D. 1924 levied upon the

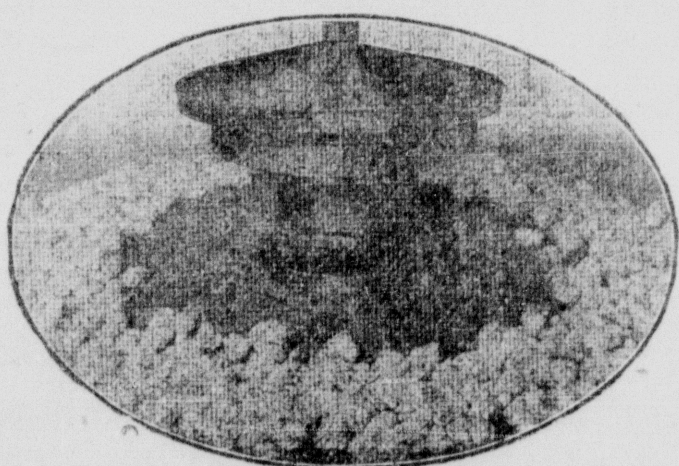
following described property situated in the County of Milam, State of Texas, as follows, to-wit:

That certain lot and parcel of land lying and being situated in Milam county, Texas, out of the James Shelton survey and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT—Being a part of 50 acre tract conveyed to Willie Nelson by M. H. Flemming by deed of record in Book 107 page 578 of the Milam County deed records; beginning at the S. E. cor. of said 50 acre tract; thence N. 19 E. 265 vrs. to the N. E. cor. of the said 50 acres, thence N. 7- W. 766 vrs. to the N. W. Cor. of this in the N. line of said 50 acres and the East line of the G. C. & S. F. Right-of-way; thence with the E. line of said right-of-way S. 40 E. 515 vrs. to S. W. cor. of this in the S line of said 50 acre tract; thence with the said south line S. 70 E. 422 vrs. to place of beginning, containing 25 1-2 acres of land, more or less, and being all of said 50 acres lying on the East side of said railroad and being the same land conveyed to J. P. Sparks by Willie Nelson et ux by deed of record in Vol. 155 pages 211 1-2 of the Milam county deed records.

SECOND TRACT—A part of the James Shelton headright survey

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## INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET ROCKDALE MARCH 28-29

GREAT INTEREST SHOWN AT  
RURAL SCHOOLS AND INDEPENDENT DISTRICTS.

Letters received and personal inquiries made from all portions of the county shown a widespread interest in the County Meet to be held in Rockdale on March 28 and 29.

Practically all of the Independent Districts over the state for many years have been manifesting much interest in the county meets. Not until recently have rural schools been very active in preparing contestants.

This year, however, in Milam county the teachers and pupils of the Rural Schools, we are glad to report, are taking an unusual interest in the work. The following report shows the standing of the different groups of schools according to size.

### THE ONE TEACHER SCHOOLS.

There are eleven one-teacher schools in the county. This is deplorable and indicates that more ought to be done for the children attending these schools. These children, really, have as great a right to the privilege of showing their ability in competition with others as the more fortunate pupils. Should any one who reads this report volunteer to visit any one of these schools in behalf of this great body of future citizens the favor will be appreciated by them and their teacher. Teachers of such schools are specially urged to bring contestants to the meet.

The following schools have become members of the Interscholastic League, and are planning to bring many contestants to the meet. The ones started will be awarded a beautiful, handsome school-room picture for being the first ten rural schools to enroll in the League.

### TWO-TEACHER SCHOOLS.

\*Baileyville, Currie, Duncan, Bryant Station, Elm Ridge, \*Fox, Hanover, Lilac, \*Pleasant Hill, Liberty, Sandy Creek, \*Two Mile, \*Tracy, \*Walkers Creek.

### THREE-TEACHER SCHOOLS.

Branchville, \*Briary, \*Friendship, \*Yarrellton, \*Maysfield, Minvera, Salty, Val Verde.

### FOUR-TEACHER SCHOOLS.

Ad Hall, Jones Prairie.

### FIVE-TEACHER SCHOOLS

Ben Arnold, Buckholts, San Gabriel INDEPENDENT DISTRICTS. Cameron, Gause, Rockdale, Sharp, Thorndale.

### PERCENTAGE OF SCHOOLS.

00 of 11 One-Teacher Schools 000 per cent.  
14 of 36 Two-Teacher Schools 38.9 per cent.  
8 of 11 Three-Teacher Schools 27.7 per cent.  
2 of 3 Four-Teacher Schools 66.7 per cent.  
3 of 3 Five-Teacher Schools 100 per cent.  
5 or 8 Independent Districts 62.8 per cent.

Rockdale is preparing to take good care of the meet. Teachers, pupils and patrons of Milam county remember with pleasure the meet held in Rockdale two years ago. Again, every hospitality will be shown the visitors.

The Rockdale Chamber of Commerce is behind the meet, and will see that every facility for entertainment and proper handling of the meet will be given.

H. B. Hughes, Principal Rockdale Schools, and County Director of Athletics, is preparing to handle the

athletic events in splendid style. The teacher who fails to enter his school in the meet will have occasion to regret it later.

Respectfully,  
J. F. CHADFICK,  
County Superintendent.  
C. G. GREEN,  
Director General.

### TO ALL PERSONS EMPLOYED BY OR CONNECTED WITH STATE HIGHWAY DEPT.

All persons employed by or connected with the State Highway Department are warned not to take a partisan part in any political campaign for any public office, State or local. Evidence that any person so connected with the Highway Department has taken or is taking a partisan part in any State or local political campaign will be a sufficient reason for discharge.

The Highway Department is not a political organization. Its purpose is to serve the people, and the Highway Commission earnestly desires that this organization be removed from politics as far as possible in order that its work can progress without handicap.

State Highway Commission,  
By R. M. HUBBARD,  
Chairman.

### CONSTABLE'S SALE.

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Milam.

By virtue of a certain Writ of Execution issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 1, Milam county, on the 8th day of February 1924, by J. M. Ralston, Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. One of said Milam county against Marshall E. Weems for the sum of One Hundred Sixteen and 19-100 (\$116.19) Dollars with 10 per cent interest per annum from Jan. 28th, 1924 and \$11.61 attorney's fees and costs of suit, in cause No. 2109 in said Court, styled Robert McLane Company a corporation, versus Marshall E. Weems and placed in my hands for service, I Chas. Sens as constable of Precinct No. One, Milam county, Texas, did on the 9th day of February 1924 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Milam county, described as follows, to-wit: All of the right, title and interest of the said Marshall E. Weems in and to the following described tract

of land; all that certain tract of land in Milam county, Texas, out of the A. B. Hayworth league grant and is that part of the 156 1-2 acres set apart to the said W. S. Massengale in the partition of the said tract between himself and the heirs of T. L. Massengale and contains 100 1-2 acres and begins at S. E. Cor. of the 45 acres surveyed out of said tract for A. L. Massengale, John C. Massengale, Emma Williams and Joanna Harrell on 26th July 1876, a stake for N. E. Cor. of this from which a P O 3 inches in dia. brs. N. 4 W. 8 3-4 vrs. and another 6 inches in dia. brs. S. 68 W. 15 1-2 vrs.; thence S. 19 W. 37 1-2 vrs. to N. E. Cor. of 11 acres surveyed for H. M. Massengale and now owned by said Harrell minors for S. E. Cor. of this; thence N. 71 W. 1524 vrs. to N. W. Cor. of said 11 acre tract for S. W. Corner of this; thence N. 19 E 372 1-2 vrs. to S. W. Cor. of said 45 acres for N. W. Cor. of this a stake from which a P O 9 inches in dia. brs. N. 48 E. 8 1-2 vrs.; thence S. 71 E. 1524 vrs. to the place of beginning and being same land described in Vol. 82 page 211 deed records of Milam county, Texas, and levied upon as the property of said Marshall E. Weems, and on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, 1924, at the Court House door of Milam county, in the City of Cameron, Texas between the hours of ten a. m. and four p. m. I will sell said Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Marshall E. Weems by virtue of said levy and said Writ of Execution.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Cam-

eron Herald a newspaper published in Milam county.

Witness my hand, this 9th day of February 1924. 41-41

CHAS. SENS, Constable,  
Precinct 1, Milam County, Texas.

### NO FUTURE CHANGES TO BE MADE IN STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHWAYS.

The Highway Commission at its February meeting decided that no future changes or new designations would be made in the designated system of State highways. The present system as now designated has been approved by the Federal Government and the construction of many of the various highways now designated as State highways is well under way, so as to make it impractical and unsatisfactory to change the designations from their present locations. The Commission advises citizens of this State not to go to the ex-

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pense of coming to Austin to urge changes in the present designations or to have new designations made. Every effort will be made to complete the present system of highways as rapidly as possible and to keep this system in servicable condition for the travelling public.

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## STOP-LOOK-LISTEN DANGER JUST AHEAD

HASTINGS DECLARES PRESENT  
SOUTHERN FARM TREND  
DANGEROUS.

Atlanta, Ga.—(Special).—"Unless the present farm trend toward increased cotton acreage in 1924 is checked within the next two or three months, disaster will stare our farmers in the face next fall," declares H. G. Hastings, leading agricultural authority and Chairman of the Farm and Marketing Bureau of the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce.

"On every hand comes reports that the farmers of the South are planning and preparing for a large increase in cotton acreage over the already excessive cotton acreage of 1923, and, with the labor shortage, this inevitably means a decrease in food and grain acreage.

"When will our cotton growing folks learn the lesson that big cotton acreage in a favorable or even near favorable season means more cotton than the world can take care of promptly and a price smash resulting that brings either farm bankruptcy or financial crippling to our people?"

"There was enough cotton acreage in 1923 with even fair growing seasons to have made sixteen to eighteen million bales and a price of 10 cents, or thereabouts. The only thing that saved us from our own folly in 1923 was Providence stepping in with heat and drought west of the Mississippi River and excessive rain and boll weevil in the Southeast, the two combined cutting the crop to ten million bales.

"Stop—Look—Listen! is a common form of sign at dangerous railroad crossings. The present cotton situation and present abnormal high price ought to be a Stop—Look—Listen sign to every farmer in the South who is even remotely thinking of adding cotton acres and cutting down food and grain acres in 1924.

"It's a 100 to 1 bet that they will lose whichever way things go. If bad seasons and boll weevil don't get them, a price lower than a paying one will. If there was ever a time in the history of the South when the cotton farmer in the South ought to play safe, it is in this year of 1924.

"The South and the individual farmer in the South will never accumulate farm wealth until he quits gambling in cotton, gambling through big acreage plantings at high price periods, and produces, as a steady year in and year out policy, all the food and grain needed for home needs on home acres."

"BE FAIR—STICK TO FACTS."

By V. D. Fugler, Secretary, State Highway Department.

The following editorial appeared in one of our daily newspapers. The author of the editorial from all appearances was very sincere, but he is laboring under a false impression and has undertaken to write an editorial for his paper without the facts before him. The editorial reads as follows:

"There are in the State of Texas now, 700,000 registered automobiles. The Highway Commission puts the average tax on these cars at \$14.70 each, which gives the state an automobile tax to be used for highway purposes, of an amount in excess of \$10,000,000. It is doubtful whether \$14.70 is a fair average, but even though it is, we find a huge sum of money attracted to one central point to be used for one specific purpose. Good business and good business methods would demand that that money be spent in a business-like way, and if it were so spent, but very few of us who pay it would have any reason to complain. However, if reports are true, it is taking 100 men to handle the highway department's business and at the low figures of \$5 each, per day, we find this tax being eaten up in salaries at the rate of \$500 per day, or at the rate of all of \$1,500,000 per year, to say nothing of other expenses. In the absence of reliable proof, we would guess that under the present method of doing business the highway department spends of the \$10,000,000 collected all of \$2,000,000 in salaries, traveling and other expenses. The \$2,000,000 never sees the highways of the state and even if half of it were put on the roads it would do a powerful lot of good. We are not criticising the department. Those in charge of it might be doing

all they can possibly do and do it right, but it does seem that as many as 100 employees in one department represents quite a lot of help and with that many a better showing ought to be made. We foresee 25 competent men could do more and better work. We also venture to state that a better system than now employed could be devised and put into operation to the everlasting benefit and credit of the State".

The author states that it requires the services of 100 men to handle the Highway Department's business, which at the low estimate of \$5 per day, he states would amount to \$1,500,000 per year. The fact is that during the last fiscal year the Highway Department proper or the engineering department had only 47 employees including the Highway Commission, Highway Engineer, division engineers, clerks, stenographers and draftsmen. The total amount paid out for salaries during the last fiscal year was \$93,995 or less than one-fifth of 1 per cent of the total cost of State and Federal Aid projects completed last year. There were 4,400 miles of State and Federal Aid projects and ten bridges on which State and Federal Aid was used, completed last year at a cost of between \$47,000,000 and \$48,000,000. In addition to this there were 161 contracts awarded involving \$13,000,287 and there are under construction at the present time 1,006 miles of road and nine bridges involving an estimated cost of \$22,681,000. The Highway Department paid out to the counties last year nearly \$10,000,000 in State and Federal Aid. The salaries paid were less than 1 per cent of the actual amount paid out to the counties. The total travelling expenses of the Highway during the last fiscal year were \$13,125 which includes the travelling expense of the Commission, State Highway Engineer and all division engineers.

The salaries paid to the registration division of the Highway Department, which has no more to do with the building of roads than the Comptroller's Department, were \$26,660. This division keeps an accurate record of all motor vehicles registered in this State. The receipts for 700,

000 motor vehicles are received from the tax collector, audited, typed and filed in alphabetical, numerical and engine number files so that when either the name, the engine number or the license number of a motor vehicle is known, a full description can be found in a few minutes from the records. These duties are imposed upon the Highway Department by law and have to do only with the collection of license fees. There are 19 persons employed regularly in this division.

The total operation expense for the Highway Department of the last fiscal year including salaries, travelling expense, stationery, printing of receipts, laws, etc., sundry supplies, postage, office equipment, repairs, telephone and telegraph expense, freight, automobile maintenance and other sundry expenses for the engineering and registration division was only \$163,450.50, or less than one-third of 1 per cent of the total cost of State and Federal Aid projects completed last year, and a little over 1-1/2 of the amount actually paid out through the Department to the counties for road and bridge construction.

We have heard the statement made by misinformed persons that the Highway Department spends great sums of money traveling all over the world. I wonder how far the Highway Commission, the State Highway En-

gineer and the division engineers of the State Highway Department, who inspect regularly all work carried on under the direction of the Department, could travel on \$13,000, the entire travelling expense for last year, less than the cost of constructing one-half mile of concrete road.

The total operating expense herein-

before enumerated would build less than four miles of 18' concrete road. It seems that a matter of fairness to public officials who are trying conscientiously to do their duty, that before a newspaper editor or any other citizen for that reason, criticises, he should have the facts before him and be satisfied as to their accuracy. The Highway Department records are public and the personnel of the Department in charge of these records will gladly furnish any information any citizen of this State desires. Every cent that is expended can be accounted for and accurate records are kept of every receipt and every disbursement.

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Our engineering departments cost us \$500,000 yearly.

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We make 30,000 inspections on every Studebaker car during manufacture before it goes out of the factory. We employ 1,200 men to do that.

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Every Studebaker car is Timken-equipped. The Special-Six and the Big-Six have more Timken bearings than any car selling under \$5,600 in America. The Light-Six more than any competitive car within \$1,500 of its price.

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### Extras to our men

We pay the highest labor scale. Then we add extras to it.

Men who are with us five years or over get 10% of their year's wages in an anniversary check. Those anniversary checks last year cost us \$1,300,000.

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All this to keep men with us while they grow more and more efficient. To make them happy, so they do their best.

This is all paid by people who buy Studebaker cars. But we figure that each such dollar saves us five dollars. Don't you agree with us?

### The utmost in car value

The object is to give you the utmost in car value. You will find we do that if you make comparisons. In any Studebaker model, you will find scores of ways in which it excels any rival car.

That is why, in the fine-car field, the Studebaker leads. The demand has almost trebled in the past three years. These cars have become the sensation of Motordom. On some of these models we have never yet been able to meet the demand.

We spend money lavishly. We build without regard to cost. But, in our quantity production, we still bring costs to bottom.

You should learn what these things mean to you before you buy a car.

### Don't Buy a Fine Car until you see the leaders

Studebakers hold the top place in the fine-car field today.

Last year, 145,167 people chose them against all rivals. They paid \$201,000,000 for them.

For 72 years the Studebaker name has stood for the utmost in quality. It will never stand for less.

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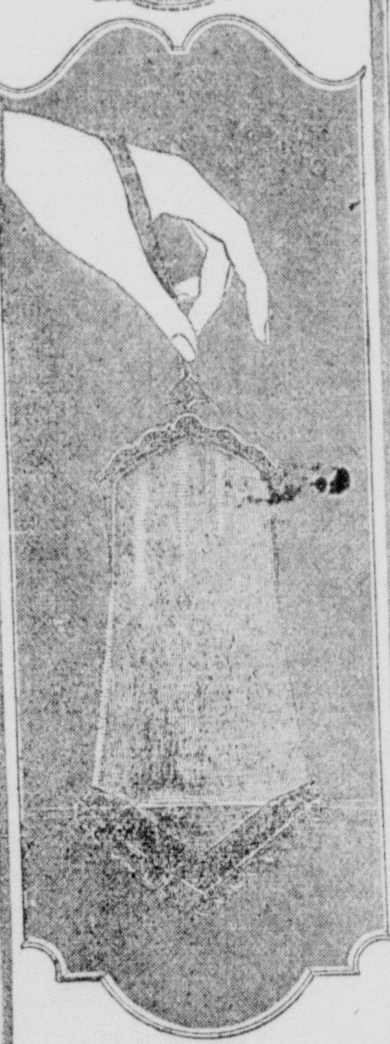
We use real leather upholstery. We could cut the price of our open models \$25.00 were we willing to use imitation instead of genuine leather.

We upholster our closed models in the finest Chase Mohair. Cotton or ordinary wool, or a combination of both, would enable us to reduce our price from \$100 to \$150 per car. But we would thus sacrifice Studebaker quality and reputation.

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Coupe (5-Pass.)	1395.00
Sedan	1485.00

### SPECIAL-SIX

5-Pass. 119" W. B. 50 H. P.	
Touring	\$1425.00
Roadster (2-Pass.)	1400.00
Coupe (5-Pass.)	1895.00
Sedan	1985.00

### BIG-SIX

7-Pass. 126" W. B. 60 H. P.	
Touring	\$1750.00
Speedster (5-Pass.)	1835.00
Coupe (5-Pass.)	2495.00
Sedan	2685.00

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The ability to produce quality cars on a quality basis is the underlying reason why the United States leads the nations of the world in the manufacture of automobiles. American cars, with few exceptions, compete successfully with the automobiles of the country into which they are shipped, and even in one or two countries, where seriously handicapped by high import duties, many American cars are sold.

Nearly 84 per cent of all the motor vehicles registered in the world in 1922 were manufactured in this country. Although final figures are not yet available it is conservative to say that, with the large increase in American automobile production in 1923, approximately 90 per cent of all automobiles now registered in the world have been made in the United States.

American exports of motor vehicles in 1922 represented 40 per cent of the entire production of motor vehicles by all other countries in the world for the same year. American exports in that year were 78,234—more than doubling those of the previous year—and figures for 1923 will show a large increase over 1922.

American cars enjoy many advanced features of construction which make them more serviceable and satisfactory to operate.

They are built along the same general lines, first of all, and can be easily understood and repaired by mechanics. European cars, on the other hand, do not conform with any basic standard, and as a result, "freak" cars appear on the foreign markets. This, of course, makes it difficult to obtain service.

European cars do not have as much reserve power as the average American automobile. Where the Studebaker Light-Six has an I. A. C. rating of 23.4 H. P. the greatest number of England and French cars have only from 5 to 15 H. P. Because of their small motors, the majority of European cars are equipped with four speeds forward, instead of three, with the result that the driver must shift from fourth to third speed in order to climb the most ordinary hill. This fact, and the added flexibility of American-made motors, add favor to American cars in the markets abroad.

Sometime ago European cars could be operated with lower gasoline consumption, due to the smallness of the motors, but automotive engineers in this country have completely offset even this temporary European advantage by decreasing the fuel consumption required by the powerful American-made cars.

Generally speaking, European automobiles have longer road clearance than American cars. This is of little importance in England or France where highways are improved but it is a decided disadvantage, for example, when cars must negotiate the rugged roads of Australia or South Africa.

European manufacturers, producing only a limited number of cars a day, must sell their products for prices greatly in excess of those of the American manufacturer with a capacity of hundreds of cars daily.

A European car, selling for an equivalent of \$1500, does not compare in intrinsic value with an American car at the same price, because in the manufacture of foreign cars many costs, such as excessive overhead per car, expense of complicated sales, etc., have to be absorbed.

Some foreign manufacturers are increasing their capacity and are adopting American large-production methods, because of operating on a smaller basis they have not been able to meet the prices and quality of American cars. Moreover, they realize that the reputation of the same operation many times tends towards greater precision and skill in the worker, and consequently results in a higher degree of accuracy and quality in the product itself.

With the long experience, manufacturing skill and highly-developed methods of the automobile manufacturers in this country, American cars will continue to grow in importance in the markets of the world. In fact, the United States has its greatest era of foreign automobile business ahead.

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### ELECTION NOTICE.

WHEREAS, the Ordinances of the City of Cameron require the holding of the regular annual election of officers for the City of Cameron, Texas, for the year 1924;

THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Cameron, that an election be held in said City of Cameron on the 1st day of April A. D. 1924, the same being the first Tuesday in said month for the

purpose of electing the following officers, to-wit:

Mayor, Secretary and Treasurer, City Attorney, Assessor and Collector, Marshal and five Aldermen; and it is so ordered.

Said election shall be held at the City Hall, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election: Alex Triggs, presiding judge, and such other assistants and clerks as shall be appointed by said Alex Triggs to assist in accordance with law. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State of Texas, regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of said City shall serve as a proper notice of said election; and the Mayor is directed to cause notice of said election to be posted at the place designated for holding said election, and by printing in the Cameron Herald for at least thirty days prior to the date of said election.

H. M. HEFLEY,

Passed at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Cameron, Texas, on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1924.

Approved January 15th, A. D. 1924.

J. B. WHITE, Mayor.  
City of Cameron, Texas.

Attest:—  
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If you are not visited during the canvass, Sunday March 2, 1924, make your contribution to O. L. Kidd, Milam County Chairman Near East Relief; Roy Baskin, Milam County Treasurer Local Headquarters, Cameron, Texas; State office 611 Slaughter Building, Dallas, Texas.

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## DALLAS JUDGE OUT FOR GOVERNORSHIP OF TEXAS

PLATFORM OF FELIX D. ROBERTSON, CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR.

To the Democracy of Texas:

Having made formal announcement of my candidacy for Governor of Texas, it is, of course, proper that I should, in a brief, concise manner present my views candidly upon paramount public questions.

There are three vital questions uppermost in the minds of the people of Texas, viz: Taxation, Public Education and Law Enforcement. My views on these three great questions are as follows:

Our taxes can only be diminished by reducing the cost of government, and by no other means. Through the years we have added various details to our former simple government until now we have a vast, costly, complex machine. Much of the money now raised by taxation is used for purposes that no one can possibly object to, and that is for public education; for the support of eleemosynary institutions and for the enforcement of our criminal laws. It is vitally essential that we spend the money necessary to the proper accomplishment of the three purposes above referred to. It is not necessary that all the other departments of our government be maintained at their present cost, but it is absolutely essential that the public schools be properly supported; that the free distribution of text-books be wisely and economically continued; that the efficiency of the University of Texas, the A. & M. College and our other State schools be maintained; that our State Hospitals for the Insane, Blind, Deaf and Dumb and Orphan Asylums be adequately maintained; and that the expense incident to the proper enforcement of the criminal law and proper functioning of our courts be incurred.

### TAXATION.

I have no delusions in regard to this world-old problem. It is a question of vital importance to every citizen. The people are concerned in an honest, efficient, economical administration of our State Government. If I am elected Governor of Texas no new offices will be created and there will be no increase in taxes during my administration. On the contrary, I feel sure I can and will be able to materially reduce the expenses of our State Government. In any event, appropriations will not exceed income and the Government will be conducted and maintained upon "the pay as you go" plan. Texas should be kept on a cash basis and plain, practical rules of common sense should prevail in all departments of our State Government. The same economy and careful attention to detail, ordinarily used by prudent men in private business, must be applied to our State Boards and Departments and unless this is done waste and inefficiency will not only result, but prevail. If I am elected Governor, I will demand strict economy in all State purchases; traveling expenses in the various departments will be largely decreased; Departments will be consolidated wherever it can be done without impairing efficiency; Boards and Commissions, where not absolutely necessary to the public good, will be abolished; practical sense and common honesty will be demanded throughout every department, and every employee of the State will be required to give an honest day's work for an honest day's pay. I am unalterably opposed to the creation of any new Boards and Commissions, and will veto the creation of any new Courts unless there is an absolute imperative necessity shown for such Courts. I believe that the expenses of our State Government can be greatly reduced by consolidating much of the work now being done by Boards and Commissions with the old established Departments of our Government. All agricultural matters should be assigned to the Department of Agriculture; all fiscal matters should be controlled by the Comptroller's and Treasurer's Departments, and all other matters should be placed within the control of one of the established Departments of our State Government. The work now being done under separate and independent agencies could easily and effectively be consolidated with the established Departments of our Government. For instance, the work now being done by the Food and Dairy Commission, and Live Stock Commission, and the Warehouse and Marketing Department, should be assigned to the Department of Agriculture, because they all relate directly or indirectly to the matters controlled by that Department. A similar method of consolidation would be highly effective in all other Departments of our

Government and would not only promote efficiency, but would reduce expenses in all such Departments. The creation of Boards, Commissions and independent agencies for the conduct of public business in Texas has resulted in the most alarming and unwarranted increase in the expenses of our State Government, and in the consequent taxes necessary to defray the expenses of the Government. In 1911 the Legislature appropriated \$10,634,300; in 1923 \$42,183,740 was appropriated to run the State for two years. Increase in 12 years \$31,549,440. During that 12 years our population increased 28 per cent, our wealth 35.8 per cent, while the cost of our Government increased 300 per cent; our State employees 152 per cent and traveling expenses for those same employees increased 500 per cent. This is out of all reasonable proportion and must cease.

### PUBLIC EDUCATION.

The 38th Legislature appropriated about \$10,000,000 out of the general fund to maintain public education, and they did the right thing, because it is best to maintain our schools and educational institutions upon the highest plane of efficiency, even though we are compelled to bear the necessary burden of expense and taxation incident thereto. That same Legislature authorized the appointment of what is known as the Educational Survey Commission, empowered to survey our school situation and to report on or before December 1, 1924. It is composed of men and women of splendid ability, who were selected with a view to their qualifications to report on this important question. Common sense again tells me to await that report, hoping, trusting and believing that those good men and women will solve our difficulties by establishing a satisfactory system of Rural Schools properly maintained, by showing us how to secure at least \$15 per capita apportionment, by settling the vexing University question, and by giving proper aid to and enlarging the scope and usefulness of all our State schools.

### TAKE THE UNIVERSITY OUT OF POLITICS.

The government of the University is entrusted to a Board of Regents, appointed by the Governor, thereby giving their appointment a political significance at least. I propose, in the future, as vacancies occur on the Board to request the Alumni of the University to nominate to the Governor for appointment three members and the faculty three; by this course, in a few years, the Alumni and the faculty would be in full control, yet the Governor would be amply represented, in my opinion, and whether this plan is adopted by statute or not, I shall adopt it as my plan to take the University out of politics while I am Governor. I shall apply the same rule to the Directors of the A. & M. College and in the appointment of members of the Board of Regents of the Normal Colleges and the College of Industrial Arts, etc.

### LAW ENFORCEMENT.

A number of gentlemen who have announced for the Governorship are demanding repeal of what they call useless laws and objecting to the passage of any further laws. We certainly have too many laws, ordinances, rules and regulations, but the 38th Legislature appropriated a

large sum of money and authorized the appointment of a commission to codify our laws. When the commission reports on or before the 30th of December, 1924, we can give the matter careful consideration. In passing, let me say if I am elected Governor that there are a number of laws on the statute books which will not be modified or repealed if I can prevent it. For instance: The laws against the manufacture, transportation and sale of liquor; the laws against gambling and our Sunday laws. I also favor the strengthening of the law relative to wife and child desertion. I stand for the prompt, vigorous and impartial enforcement of these and all other laws under all circumstances by and through the duly constituted authorities, and I will ask the Legislature to provide sufficient money to properly carry on the enforcement of the laws so that the courts, the prosecuting officers and the executive officers shall not be hampered for lack of funds. I shall not hesitate to use the entire police power of the State to prevent lynchings, whippings and any other form of mob violence. If elected Governor I will sacredly observe and regard every provision of the Constitution of the United States and of the State of Texas. I believe in constitutional government in Nation and State. I love American ideals and institutions. I believe in separation of church and State; American public schools, free distribution of text-books which tell the truth to all the children of men, I stand for separate schools and separate coaches. I stand for white supremacy and the rule of the white man in this Country, Nation, State, County, City and Precinct. I favor the amelioration and betterment of living conditions for the laboring man and his family. I stand for the flag of our fathers against all other flags in the world; for America against all other Nations on earth; for the purity and integrity of American home and the chastity and protection of American women. I am against injustice, intolerance and oppression; against wife beaters, bootleggers and criminals; against vice, sin and crime; against the anarchist, the profiteer and the traitor. I stand for common sense; fair treatment to all; right against might; for good, honest, clean government; Christian schools, hospitals and eleemosynary institutions; decent, clean living; right thinking, honor, integrity and righteousness.

### PENITENTIARY SYSTEM.

I favor the gradual reformation of our prison system. The various State farms, widely scattered over Texas, should be disposed of as rapidly as possible and a prison located at a central point in the State accessible to railway and highway transportation, where a sufficient body of land could be purchased having the natural advantages of fertile soil, healthful climate, ample water power and good drainage. The 38th Legislature provided for a Texas Penitentiary Re-Location Commission, consisting of Governor Neff, Land Commissioner Robinson and Attorney General Keeling, and directed the Commission to investigate the territory within seventy-five miles of Austin. The Commission surveyed the penitentiary system as it is now, visited a number of proposed sites, but found

none which would justify entering into contract for, and reported it to be inadvisable to contract for the disposal of the present property of the penitentiary system. Mr. Robinson, however, did select a site, which is fully described at page 959 of the House Journal of the 38th Legislature. I am not in any way committed to the location selected by Mr. Robinson, or any other location, but I am in accord with his proposition that the "ideal penal institution should carry farm and factory side by side to the end that all inmates could have their special adaptations directed in the most profitable manner."

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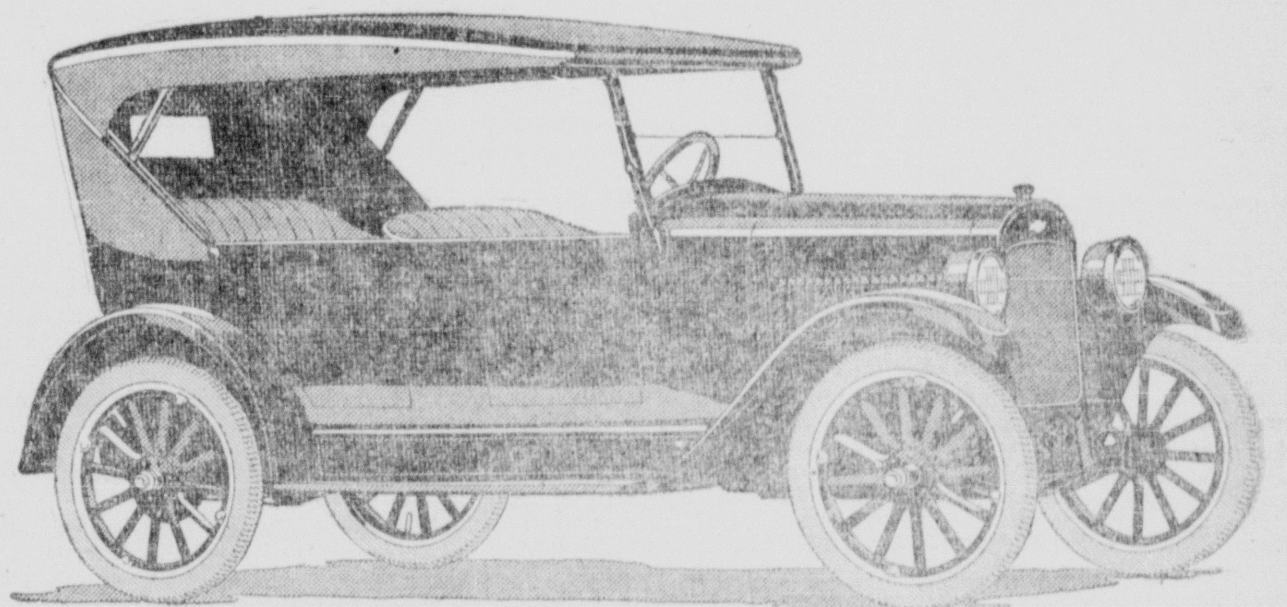
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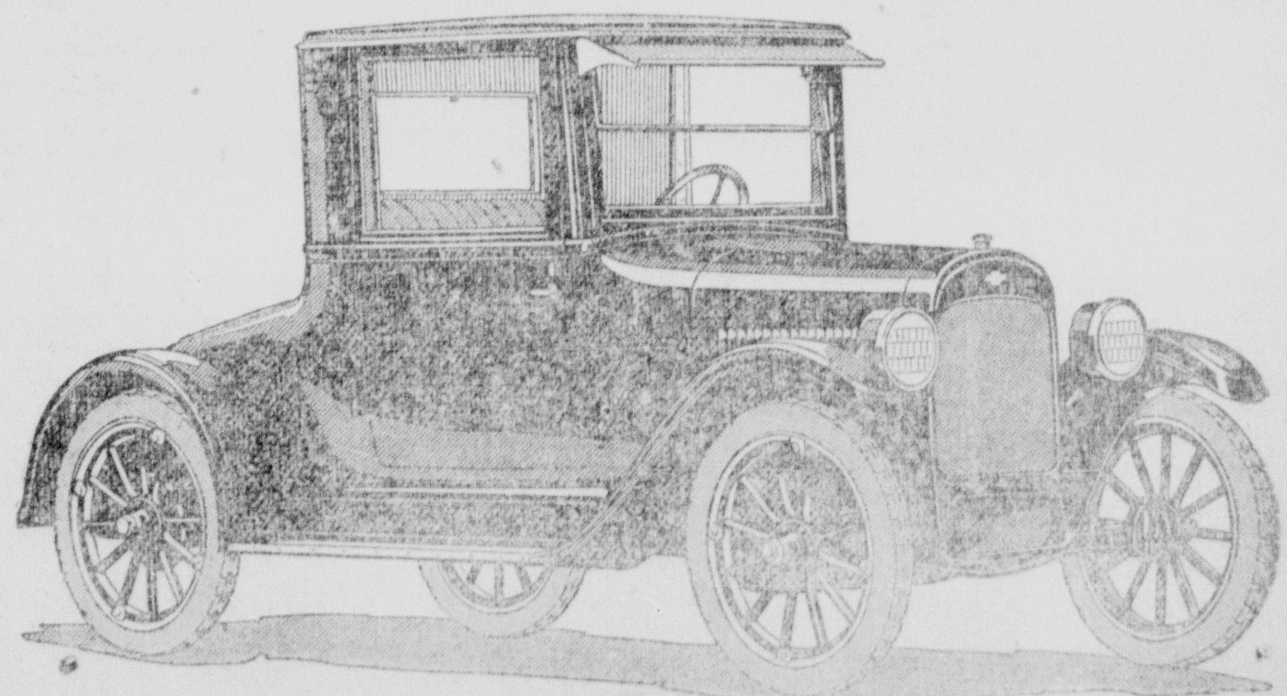
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## Kinds and Varieties of Fruit For the Home Orchard

Every home should have some fruit whether there is much or little space available. Most of the lots in towns and cities have sufficient space for a few trees, and such space could not be made use of in a more profitable way than to set fruit trees on it, provided one will give them the proper attention. And there is no reasonable excuse for any one in the country not having a home orchard of some size.

Fruit trees can be set in the South any time during the fall, winter or very early spring. Of course they will have to be set before the buds begin to swell in order to give them a fair chance of living.

When setting fruit trees for home use the selection of varieties is of utmost importance, because what one wants is fruit ripening over as long a period of time as possible. The commercial fruit grower usually confines his efforts to a comparatively few varieties. The varieties that are best for commercial growing are not always the best for home use, and as said above, it is of the utmost importance that the proper varieties be selected, whether one is growing fruit for home use or for commercial purposes.

The peach tree succeeds in practically all sections of the South, but there is one thing that a peach tree will not stand, and that is wet feet. Therefore one of the very first things to do is to see to it that the land where the trees are to be set is properly drained. A low, wet place is always to be avoided, unless, of course, it can be properly drained.

It is also important to select as far as possible for fruit trees, ground that is properly air drained, as well as water drained. It is a well known fact that cold air is heavier than warm air and settles to the bottom.

Therefore wherever it can be done select a high piece of ground for the fruit trees, so as to insure as far as possible, proper air drainage. This will go a long way toward preventing damage by late frost and freezing, because it is always in the low places that are improperly air drained that the greatest damage from late frost takes place. Of course where one has only a limited amount of ground available, it may not be possible to select a high place to set the trees, but this is the ideal that should be approached as nearly as possible.

Now a little more as to kind and variety. In practically all sections of the South, one should have in the home orchard, some peaches, apples, plums, pears, cherries, Japanese persimmons, grapes and figs. In the lower part of the South, cherries and apples do not succeed to any great extent. This is especially true of the cherry. When one is in a section where these two do not succeed, eliminate them and plant more largely to the fruits that do succeed well in the lower part of the South, such as figs, grapes, Japanese persimmons and peaches.

The following varieties of peaches will give ripe fruit the entire summer season: Mayflower or Early Rose, Carman, Hiley, Belle of Georgia, Elberta, Heath Cling, and Salway or Krummel's October. By planting some of all of these varieties, ripe peaches may be had from late May or early June until late September or early October. The very early and the very late varieties are not very good as to quality but coming early or late, they are usually very greatly appreciated. Therefore for the home orchard, be sure to plant at least a few of the Mayflower or Early Rose, Heath Cling, Salway or Krummel's October. The Carman, Hiley, Belle of Georgia and Elberta are well known, standard varieties that possess very high quality.

By planting some of all the following varieties of apples, one will have ripe fruit during the whole season from June on into the fall and winter: Early Harvest, Early Transparent, Red June, Horse Apple, Grimes' Golden, Jonathan, Delicious, Winesap and Yates. These are not all of the good varieties but are generally recognized as being among the leaders for use in home orchards in the South. Early Harvest, Yellow Transparent and Red June are all early summer apples. The Horse Apple comes along in midsummer and Grimes' Golden and Jonathan are late summer or early fall varieties. These are followed by Delicious and then the Winesap and Yates in the late fall or early winter.

Of the plums, the Red June, Abundance, Wild Goose and Damson make up a choice selection for home use. The Damson is especially good for preserving and the other varieties named to be eaten as fresh fruit. Where room can be given for only two varieties, Red June and Abun-

dance will probably be the best, unless one especially wants some for preserving purposes. In this case use the Red June for eating purpose and the Damson variety for preserving.

Pears blight to such an extent that only a few varieties should be planted in the South, except in the upper portions. In the lower part of the South the Sand Pear or Pineapple pear should be planted, as it is blight and perserving. The Kieffer, while proof and is excellent for canning not blight proof, is not so susceptible to this disease as the other varieties, and where one does not wish to grow the Sand or Pineapple pear, the Kieffer is probably the next best choice. Other good varieties are Garber, Seckel and the Bartlett.

Except in the lower part of the South, every home orchard should have in it a few cherry trees. Only the sour varieties will succeed in the South. The Montmorency and Early Richmond are two of the best of the sour varieties.

One or two trees of the Japanese persimmons should be found in every home orchard in the South. It will succeed wherever the native or wild persimmon grows. The fruit is especially large, being as large as a good sized peach, and is delicious. Tane Nashi variety is the leader.

Grapes will grow practically anywhere in the South. The leading varieties are Concord, Niagara, Delaware, Moore's Early, Diamond and Lurie. If one has room for only two or three varieties, our choice would be Moore's Early, Diamond and Concord.

In the middle and lower part of the South, figs grow well. By giving slight protection during the winter, they can usually be grown to advantage in the upper portions of the South. The two leading varieties for most sections of the South are the Brown Turkey and the Celestial. The Celestial is a small, sweet variety and is hardiest of all. Therefore in the upper part of the South, only this variety should be planted.

By planting the above varieties in the home orchard, one will have started in a way to secure ripe fruit from early until late, and that is what is desired. A superabundance of fruit with none at all during the early and during a short season of the year, late part of the season, is undesirable from every standpoint. By planting the varieties mentioned above, one will overcome this trouble and have a supply of fruit over the entire season. Certainly no home, where there is even a small amount of space available, should be without a few fruit trees. They are inexpensive, comparatively easy to handle, if one will only give the matter a little study, and will prove not only a pleasure but a profit to those who will give them the right attention in the way of fertilizing.

### TRIP REVEALS GOLD AND FUR.

While science toys with the 25 dinosaur eggs brought back from the interior of Mongolia by the Third Asiatic Expedition, and wonders about their relationship to the dinosaur skeletons now and then unearthed in America, industrial leaders are giving deep and serious thought to the commercial phase of the expedition's many remarkable discoveries.

Numerous important mineral deposits were found, according to Roy Chapman Andrews, leader of the expedition, and it is only a matter of time until modern transportation makes it accessible. The plains are also inhabited by millions of fur bearing animals, and fur traders are already hot on the trail followed by the Andrews party in its search for fossils.

Mr. Andrews demonstrated that it

was not necessary to rely on the plodding camel in order to penetrate the rich interior. His three Dodge Brothers motor cars did what the fur traders and others interested in the commercial development of Mongolia had considered impossible. The fur traders promptly bought up his three Dodge Brothers cars, proved to three Dodge Brothers cars, proved to car to do it—and not just luck—and are now operating fleets of the same sturdy American car in pursuit of the fortunes that roam aimlessly on the plains. Trips that formerly required months are now made in days. There are no roads, but that seems to make little difference when one is using a Dodge Brothers car.

Thus the fur trade already has been given a definite impetus by the Andrews expedition's revelations. Information regarding the geological discoveries, such as mineral deposits, was turned over to the Mongolian government. How soon active development of these resources will begin, depends largely on the condition of state affairs and the interest of outside capital.

The importance with which the results of the expedition are viewed by the press is reflected in the countless editorials which followed the travelers' return. Typical of the comments is the following, from the Dallas Journal:

"How many of us grubby folk known that dinosaurs laid eggs? Who among us could estimate the value of dinosaur eggs? Geologists working in the wilds of Mongolia under the auspices of the American Museum of Natural History have discovered a whole nestful of dinosaur eggs, twenty-five of 'em, to be specific, and they say that the value of the eggs is priceless. Their valuation will not be challenged. For these

eggs are big as moons, compared to those of the industrious hen of our own time, and they are past the possibility of deterioration, since they are fossilized and are estimated to be 10,000,000 years old.

"Old King Tut, it will appear, has no sort of monopoly on relics of antiquity. This lay of the ancient dinosaur antedates the Pharaoh's time by ages and epochs. As an exhibit from a primeval past it will stand in a class to itself. The exhibit is made even more impressive by the addition

of tons of other fossil remains which were found in the Asien desert.

"That the discovery was due to the courage and determination of the men who comprised the scientific expedition need not be stated. But an interesting revelation is that it would not have been possible without the aid of that modern of moderns, the automobile. Motor cars penetrated hundreds and hundreds of miles into regions that had never scented the odor of gasoline, following with ease the trails which had been made by

caravans of camels. The leader of the expedition, Mr. Roy Chapman Andrews, is quoted as having said that all of Mongolia is accessible by motor car, and that a new field for commercial exploration and development has been opened.

"From which it may be seen that great possibilities may be hatched from dinosaur eggs. Commerce is a follower of the flag, we have been told. But it may also be said that it follows the explorer in the name of science."

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11 pounds Pure Cane Sugar for	\$1.00

5-lb. can Calumet Baking Powder	\$1.15
Pinto Beans, 12 lbs.	\$1.00
5 rolls Toilet Paper for	25c
Arbuckle Coffee, per pkg.	35c
Galvanized Oil Can, 5-gal.	90c
25-lb. Sack of Meal	70c
Salt Pork Bacon, pound	17c
Dried Apples, pound	20c
Brown Mule Tobacco, plug	20c
3-lb. box Lump Starch	30c
1-lb can Delmonte Pineapple	20c
20 bars White Soap	\$1.00
Search Light Matches, 6 bxs.	40c
10lb. can Arm & Hammer Soda	75c
4-lb. bkt. Jno. Bremond Cof.	\$1.50
Pure Apple Vinegar, 1 quart	25c

1 doz. Potted Meat	50c
1 doz. 2 lb. cans Salmon	\$1.75
Maxwell House Coffee	\$1.35
1 gal. can Koo Koo Syrup	75c
1 Gal. Mary Jane Syrup	70c
Large Size Oat Meal, 3-lb. 7 oz.	30c
6 oz. Bot. Garrett Snuff, 1 for	35c
Large Bucket Crisco	\$1.40
1 gal White Cooking Oil	\$1.20
Gallon Can of Catsup	75c
White Karo Syrup, gal can	75c
1 Doz. Cans Good Corn	\$1.40
1 lb. can Good Asparagus	40c
A-1 Corn, can	20c
New Club Shells, box	75c
1 Doz. No. 2 Tomatoes	\$1.25

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## Pioneer Mother, Niece of Commodore Perry Dead; Is Buried in Cameron

In the fullness of years, with the grace of a well spent life upon her, and at peace with the world, Mrs. A. J. Stone of Waco passed to her reward on Thursday evening, Feb. 21st, 1924. She is survived by two sons who will mourn her tender care and guidance. She has gone to meet other loved ones from whom she has been a little while parted.

Mrs. Stone fulfilled a woman's mission in being a devoted wife, a loving mother and a loyal friend. Her unaffected modesty, her poise and sweet dignity, added to her wise judgment and keen intellect marked her as a leader in thought and service. In her later years she was an object of reverence in her son's home and a perpetual example of gentleness and unselfishness.

Emmie Frank Stone was born December 11th, 1838, at Greenville, South Carolina. She was the daughter of Dr. William Butler and Jane Perry Butler; her father was a pro-

minent physician in South Carolina, and served as a surgeon, when a young man in the war of 1812. Her mother was a sister of Commodore, Oliver Hazard Perry of Lake Erie fame, and Commodore Matthew Calbraith Perry, whose name was linked with the development of Japan in the history of our country.

She was one of twelve children, some of whom were very distinguished citizens of our country. One of her brothers was a Major General in the Confederate Army and served eighteen years as United States Senator from South Carolina. He was also a Major General in the Spanish-American war, having been appointed by a Republican President.

She was married to Andrew J. Stone, who was also born and reared in Greenville, South Carolina, on July 1st, 1856.

There were born to this union six children, William Butler, Jesse Banister, Thomas Pierce, Jane Tweedy,

Andrew Frank and Nathaniel Calbraith all are dead except Jesse and Tom.

Dr. Jesse Stone now lives in McCulloch county, Texas, and Senator Thomas P. Stone lives in Waco, Texas.

The Stone family from South Carolina moved to Arkansas in 1857 and lived there until 1866, when they came to Texas, first settling at Millican, Texas, remaining there about one year, when they moved to Milam county, settling near Maysfield, and lived there until January 1883, when Capt. A. J. Stone was elected County Treasurer of Milam in which office he served for eight years. His name was a synonym for honor and integrity. The family resided here until 1893 when Captain Stone died. Shortly after the death of her husband Mrs. Stone moved to Travis living with her son, Frank, after a short while there, she moved to Waco and made her home with her son Senator Thomas P. Stone.

She died at 11:15 February 21st, 1924.

She was a daughter of the Confederacy, and was a member of the Mary West Chapter of Waco, and so long as she was able, she attended the meetings of the Daughters, and

loved the cause as devotedly as a woman could love anything out of her own family, and the happiest time she spent was when she was reading of that cause, which was so dear to her heart, where the valor of southern men and the devotion of the southern women made it the greatest cause in the history of the world. She was always ready and willing to defend that cause, when any one, who would attempt to disparage it among the people, with whom she lived, and was, in every sense of the word a true Southern woman of the old antebellum type, loved it constantly and cherished memories of those times, when she grew from childhood to womanhood and from womanhood to motherhood, and always expressed her love for that cause to her children and friends.

Her funeral service was conducted in Waco by Rev. C. R. Wright, a former pastor of the Cameron church, who is in now Presiding Elder of the Waco District, and the commitment service was read at the grave by Rev. R. S. Marshall, Cameron pastor.

A large number of friends came from Waco with her two sons and her granddaughters for the burial

service in Oak Hill Cemetery.

The floral tributes were many and beautiful including many unusual decorative designs and a wealth of fragrant and beautiful carnations and other rare blossoms.

"In life 'she chose the goodly part'—Was a Daughter loyal, faithful, true—

Her tongue the law of kindness spoke,

Her counsel like to mountain dew.

The golden rule served her as guide, Faith was the day-star of her soul.

Good deeds the footprints which she left—

And Heaven her ever cherished goal."

### OUT OF THE GLOOM.

Many a Gloomy Countenance in Cameron Now Lightens with Happiness.

A bad back makes you gloomy. Can't be happy with continual backache.

The aches and pains of a bad back are frequently due to weak kidneys. Doan's Pills are recommended for weak kidneys.

So Cameron citizens testify. Ask your neighbor. S. E. Pitts, merchant, Nolan Ave., Cameron, says: "My kidneys were

giving me a lot of trouble. My back seemed to ache all the time and the muscles were sore and lame. I was sore across my kidneys and felt played out. I picked up a paper and read about Doan's Pills and began taking them. After using about two boxes of Doan's, all those disagreeable conditions left. I advise any one who has kidney complaint to try Doan's."

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### In War Time---

In war time we paid the war tax levied on the automobile industry with a willingness and with strong patriotism.

Costs of automobiles mounted steadily in war time due to economic items. **EVERY TIME THE PRICE WAS INCREASED 2 per cent, Sales of automobiles fell off 13 per cent!**

### In Peace Time---

After the close of the war, many industries began complaining about the war tax.

And the automobile industry began to cure its own troubles by reducing operating costs and decreasing its selling prices. After October, 1920, **EVERY TIME THAT THE AUTOMOBILE PRICE WAS DECREASED 2 per cent, Sales of automobiles increased 13 per cent.** (The two figures checked exactly!)

### Your Turn Now---

How long, oh Mr. Automobile Dealer are you willing to see the industry in which you make your bread and butter, unjustly imposed upon?

It is your turn now.

Make your demands on the Ways and Means Committee for a complete repeal of the war tax on automobiles, parts and accessories. Make your demands on your own congressmen and United States senators to help you and your industry in this your fight to have your industry relieved of a tax that is no longer justified.

### Congress Admits---

That the war is over and war taxes imposed on many industries are now subject to removal.

The Ways and Means Committee of congress in its present session has stricken from the law taxes on:

Telegraph and Telephone Messages  
Fruit Juices  
Fountain Syrups  
Candies  
Livery Uniforms  
Hunting Clothes  
Carpets and Rugs  
Purses  
Jewelry  
Public Exhibitions  
Leased Wires  
Distilled Drinks  
Carbonic Acid Gas  
Hunting Knives

Livery Boots  
Yachts  
Trunks  
Portable Lights  
Theater Seating Tax  
Public Entertainments  
Cereal Beverages  
Mineral Waters  
Theater Admissions  
Dirks and Daggers  
Livery Hats  
Motor Boats  
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In five years congress has eliminated almost all of the so-called luxury and nuisance taxes, including the tax on

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Richard P. Ernst (Kentucky)  
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Peter G. Gerry (Rhode Island)  
James A. Reed (Missouri)  
David I. Walsh (Massachusetts)  
Pat Harrison (Mississippi)  
William H. King (Utah)

ALSO telegraph, telephone, write or personally see your own members of Congress and your own United States Senators.

If you are interested (and you should be) in having this tax taken off the automobile, wire or write to one of the above Senators today.  
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# Dallas Judge Out For Governorship of Texas

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employment, also to the end that the maximum production could be achieved with the minimum expenditure," etc. I, therefore, favor the purchase of a tract of land large enough to erect hospitals for the sick, proper buildings for the incarceration of convicts and suitable buildings for industrial purposes, wherein shall be maintained shops for the making of shoes, clothing and everything needed to supply the penitentiary system and its inmates only, and to do just enough farming to supply the inmates of the penitentiary with vegetables and necessary work animals with feed and forage and to supply the factories with raw materials. In the expectation that the farm and factories will not absorb all the labor at our disposal, it shall be my purpose to ask the Legislature to use all able-bodied, short-term convicts as laborers to build and maintain the public highways. I feel that with the gradual sale of our present penitentiary properties a modern prison farm can be established which will be self-sustaining and in which we will be able to teach our young convicts at least the rudiments of some useful occupation and thereby definitely assist in their reformation. Certainly a prison system situated on one tract of land is more desirable and more economical than the present one. The sale of the present penitentiary properties will probably furnish enough funds to buy the new site and to equip it. As already stated, I favor using the great body of strong, healthy convicts in building and maintaining public roads in Texas. Long-term convicts must, of course, be safely confined within prison walls, but these constitute only a small part of the aggregate number of prisoners confined in the penitentiary. Young convicts and women should be used in factories and on the farm to be provided as hereinbefore suggested. In this way young convicts could be taught useful trades and female convicts useful habits, with the view of permanently reforming and making of them good and useful men and women. The plan I suggest of utilizing the labor of all able-bodied, short-term convicts upon the public roads will certainly render such convicts self-sustaining and their labor highly useful to the people of this State. By using the labor of young convicts and women in factories, and on a farm properly located, they too can easily prove self-sustaining, while those in charge of them are working for their reform and their permanent good. Of course, it must be understood that the factories I refer to shall only be utilized for the purpose of teaching young convicts and women useful trades, and the products of such factories should only be utilized in providing for the inmates of our prisons. I would not consent under any circumstances for the products of convict labor to ever be brought into competition with the fruits and products of the great body of noble, patriotic laboring men of our State.

## PARDONS.

I do not think it a wise or humane policy to close the door of hope against the convict. I do believe in tempering justice with mercy. The Constitution vests in the Governor the power to pardon in proper and meritorious cases, and if elected I shall exercise that power carefully and prudently.

## LABOR.

Labor is the great factor in the markets of the world which cannot be dealt with as merchandise. I believe in the right of collective bargaining as applied to labor. I believe in the unalienable right of labor organizations and of individuals and in associations of labor to strike if they see fit, but I do not believe that the strike is a weapon for labor to use in its defense indiscriminately; in labor controversies, I feel that capital and labor alike should have due and conscientious regard for the rights of the people; for which reason I am thoroughly wedded to the theory and practice of arbitration in disputes between labor and capital.

I believe that the highest paid laborer is the best and I believe that the corporation, or individual, who pays the highest wage to conscientious employees reaps the greatest benefit financially and morally. I believe that it is just as much the duty of the State to care for and foster the spiritual and physical well being of its citizens as it is to advance their material interests.

I, therefore, believe in the laws protecting laboring women and that our statutes prohibiting child labor are wise and salutary and stand ready

to strengthen them should occasion or need require.

I favor the repeal of what is known as the "open port bill," passed by the 4th Called Session of the 36th Legislature (See Arts. 999 3-4 to 999 3-4-P, Penal Code). I believe this bill to be not only unconstitutional, but exceedingly dangerous to the liberties of the people and therefore dangerous to property rights, because it takes away from the courts certain well defined duties and places arbitrary power in the hands of the Attorney General and the Prosecuting Attorney in short, it makes the Prosecutor the Judge also; and that condition has always been fatal to justice and liberty and will ever be.

## EMPLOYEES ACCIDENT AND INSURANCE.

The enormous profits now accruing to the insurance companies engaged in carrying compensation insurance on employees of the various industries of our State should be eliminated and be used to increase the allowance paid to injured employees and not to enrich the insurance companies at the expense of the injured laboring man or woman who happens to be injured in their vocation of making a living. I, therefore favor the 39th Legislature submitting a constitutional amendment to the people of Texas, providing for the adoption of the "State insurance plan," whereby the State itself shall underwrite all accident and death insurance claims resulting from accidents in industry coming under the provisions of the present compensation law.

## TENANT FARMER.

The American home being the foundation stone of our institutions, it is of paramount and vital importance that the tenant farmer and the city toiler be encouraged in every legitimate and practical way to secure homes.

I shall give this question my earnest attention to the end that some satisfactory plan may be worked out and put into early operation.

## FARMING.

Our greatest and most productive industry being farming, it is absolutely essential to the public welfare that the State should foster in every possible way the best interests of the farmer. To that end, he shall have a square deal; shall be encouraged and assisted to alleviate and improve rural living conditions; shall be encouraged in the marketing and proper care of his products and in every way fostered and encouraged, and the same is true up to the vast live stock industry in this State.

I favor a comprehensive and intelligent system of conservation of flood waters and of all our natural resources.

## BUSINESS INTERESTS.

I stand for fair treatment and equality before the law for all individuals and corporations engaged in all kinds of honest business in this State. It shall be my aim and purpose to encourage the material development of Texas by encouraging the establishment and growth of all kinds of manufacturing industries on business enterprises. If we tax our industries, factories and business enterprise beyond their just proportionate share, we not only hamper and destroy those we have, but stop absolutely the establishment of new ones—so vitally necessary to the upbuilding of our State. Equality and uniformity in taxation is of paramount importance.

## PUBLIC ROADS.

I shall endeavor by all possible

means to promote the building and maintenance of good roads throughout the State under the direction of the Highway Commission System. There has been considerable criticism directed against the Highway Commission, as is the case with all new ventures. The purpose of the law is good. It has not been in existence long enough to demonstrate the high claims of its advocates or to disprove the criticism of the opposition. If the gentlemen who are responsible for its proper administration are wise, careful, economical and energetic in the discharge of their duties, we will know in a few months whether or not it should be abolished or maintained. It is just now entering on very grave and largely increased responsibilities. I trust and believe the Commission will not be extravagant with the people's money, but, on the other hand, careful and economical; that they will pursue their duties with open minds and honest hearts. So believing, I think it fair to give the Commission a fair chance.

## EX-SERVICE MEN.

Our ex-service men have not been given the consideration due them for their sacrificial services during the world war. There should be prompt relief measures passed by Congress simplifying the admission of veterans into hospitals and vocational training. The State can do but little in this great work. She can offer additional educational facilities to veterans who desire it. I, therefore, favor admitting all exservice men into our State educational institutions free of any kind of tuition, fees or charges and there given training in the branches of study they need or desire.

## NATIONAL GUARD.

I shall favor the proper maintenance of the National Guard.

## TOLERATION.

I believe in religious and political toleration and freedom. Every man should enjoy the equal protection of the law in his constitutional right to worship God according to the dictates of his own conscience.

## NOTICE IN PROBATE.

### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Milam State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for the period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

### NOTICE.

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all Persons interested in the Estate of Abbie E. Batte, a girl 13 years old, John S. Batte, a boy 12 years old, Dorcas Grady Batte, a girl 11 years old, Richard Lee Batte, a boy 8 years old, all minors, Mrs. Dorcas G. Batte has filed in the County Court of Milam County, an application for appointment as Guardian and for Letters of Guardianship

in the Estate of the above named minors which will be heard the First Monday in April at the Court House thereof, in Cameron at which time all persons interested in said Minors may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

Here fail not, under penalty of the

law, and of this Writ make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of office, in the City of Cameron the 5th day of February A. D. 1924.

Attest: H. M. ROARK, Clerk, County Court, Milam County.

By J. O. Hughes, Deputy. 40-3t



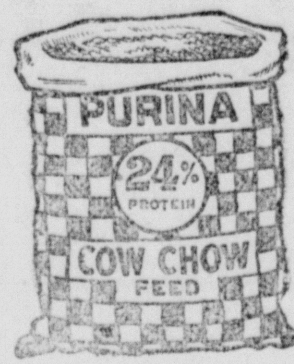
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Cow Chow produces more milk and more butter fat because it contains elements that are deficient in the average ration. It keeps cows from robbing their bodies for milk-making nutrients and lengthens the milking period. By feeding Cow Chow you not only produce more pounds of milk, but you keep your cow in better condition.

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## WHOLE BODY SEEMED IN ONE AWFUL PAIN

Morse, La.—Mrs. L. P. Lambert, who has been a popular school-teacher here for several years, recently told a visitor of her interesting experiences with Cardui.

"Just before my . . . came on," said Mrs. Lambert, "I would ache all over. My feet, my toes, my arms, hands, head—my whole body seemed to be in one awful pain. I would grow so nervous that I could not hold a cup in my hand. My husband would have to hold my coffee for me to drink. Last fall I was in such a bad condition that I had to spend about three days in bed every month. It seemed to me that I was on my last go-round."

Then one day, said Mrs. Lambert, she happened to read about Cardui and the experiences of some women who had been helped by it. "I felt that Cardui might help me if I tried it," she

continued, "for I had been suffering with similar troubles to those mentioned there. I had heard of Cardui all my life and I knew many women who said they had been helped by it. The very next day I began to take it."

"Very soon after, I began to notice my improvement. I kept on till I felt like a different woman. I gained in weight from 98 pounds to 115 and felt better than I had in years. I took six bottles right along and found it a splendid tonic. My suffering was partly due to a run-down condition and the Cardui stimulated my appetite and helped me to gain the strength I needed. . . . I take a bottle every now and then, even now, just as a tonic to keep up my strength, but I am in better health than I have been in for years."

All druggists sell Cardui. Try it.

## "BABY CHICKS"

S. C. White Leghorns, 100 lots	\$16.00
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# Local and Personal

Robert Smith spent several days in Dallas visiting his mother, Mrs. Jennie Smith, who is visiting her daughter this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Keith spent the week end in Galveston with daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. D. Frayard.

Coal delivered promptly—best quality.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Misses Pitts and Hightower were out of town visitors for the holidays.

Miss Olive Henderson of Baylor College spent last week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson.

Try the coal at the Oil Mill and you will like it.

Billie Avriett who is a student in the University spent the week end with his parents in Cameron.

Mrs. Henry Henderson and daughter of Burlington were shopping in Cameron Friday.

Ralph Keith spent the Washington holidays in Clifton with his brother, G. E. Keith.

Try the coal at the Oil Mill and you will like it.

Mrs. A. J. Dossett and son, Stanton, of Waco spent last Friday in the city, guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henley.

Miss Jaunita Caldwell spent the week end with friends in Georgetown.

Best coal, best prices, prompt delivery.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Moulton Cobb, returned to the State University Sunday after a short visit at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cobb.

Miss Sallie Coleman of Baylor University was at home Saturday and Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coleman.

Mrs. P. O. Adams visited her brother, A. W. Taber and family, in Austin last week.

Better Coal and Better service for less.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Denson of Ben Arnold were Cameron visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Warren Stone of Mount Clemens, Michigan is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. S. Henderson, Jr.

Better Coal and Better service for less.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Miss Louise Adams of the Gause school faculty was at home Saturday and Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Adams.

Miss Lee Mangum of Cuero was a week end guest of Miss Louise Adams.

New Home Sewing Machines at Exchange Furniture Co.

Miss Mary Young, a Baylor University student, enjoyed the recent holiday here with her mother, Mrs. Dallie Young.

Mrs. James L. Coleman of Rockdale was a guest in the J. W. Coleman home Saturday.

Best coal, best prices, prompt delivery.  
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Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Thomas and children of Gause were guests of the J. D. Cone family Saturday.

Miss Ruth Henderson, a member of the Waco city school faculty, was at home for the Washington holiday, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henderson.

Gunnison Sectional Book Cases at Exchange Furniture Co.

Misses Minnie Nell and Gladys Blaylock, teachers at Sandy Ridge, were week end visitors with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Blaylock.

Library Tables at Exchange Furniture Co.

Mrs. Ray Jenness was carried to the Cameron Hospital last Saturday for an appendicitis operation. Late reports as to her condition are encouraging.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Baskin have returned from a ten days visit in St. Louis.

Art Squares, Linoleum, Congoleum, New Patterns at Exchange Furniture Co.

Mrs. Williams, coffee demonstrator, served Coopers Best at the Dobbins, Neinast and Matula Grocery stores last week.

Mrs. Thelston Ford, who was brought to the Cameron Hospital from her home in Baileyville, in a serious condition several weeks ago, will be able to return home this week if weather conditions are favorable.

Buy your coal delivered when you want it.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Mrs. W. B. Woody of Rockdale is seriously ill in the Cameron Hospital.

Billie Meyer, the popular prescription clerk at the Geo. A. Thomas Drug Store, spent Sunday in Hearne and will leave Cameron about the 15th of March to make this city his home.

We put Shades up, Art Squares down.  
Exchange Furniture Co.

George Thomas, for the past five years checking clerk at the Cameron Compress, has bought the Henry Brothers Confectionery at Hearne, and took over the business on the 15th. Vlema Head and Kenneth Wiley, two popular Cameron boys, are assisting him at present in conducting the business. After the 15th of March, Mrs. Thomas will join him and will act as cashier. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have both lived in Cameron practically all of their lives and are favorites with a large number of our citizens. The Herald takes pleasure in commending them to the good people of Hearne and joins with other friends in wishing them success in their new venture.

Jeff D. Hefley, Jr., has returned to Wichita, Kansas, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hefley, for two weeks.

Miss Nadine Bragg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bragg, returned to Baylor University Monday morning after a week end visit to homefolks.

We exchange Furniture Exchange Furniture Co. Phone 218.

Miss Mary Cansler visited friends in Waco last week end.

Miss Clara Thomas returned Friday from Waco where she visited her sister, Mrs. Tom Law.

Buy your coal delivered when you want it.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Mrs. W. C. Sanders, Jr., who was here last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laird, has returned to her home in Tonkawa, Okla.

Mrs. J. F. Guggolds visited her sister in Waco last week.

Coal at the Oil Mill. 43-2t

Miss Earl Bragg of the Rosebud school faculty was at home for a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bragg.

Alton Baggett freshman at Southwest Texas Normal, visited home folks last week.

Window Shades, see us Exchange Furniture Co. Phone 218.

Mrs. James Neinast and little daughter, Bonnelle, have returned from a short visit with relatives in Caldwell.

Mrs. J. F. Howard and daughter, Miss Mittie Lou, spent the week end in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Howard.

Coal at the Oil Mill. 43-2t

Walter Thomas, druggist of Hearne spent Sunday in Cameron with his mother, Mrs. Geo. A. Thomas.

Miss Gleason of Burlington was a Cameron shopper Friday.

Miss Hester Terry has returned from a visit with Houston friends.

Apron Sale, Schillers Drug Store, March 3rd and 4th, Presbyterian.

Miss Grace Mangum, a teacher in the Rosebud school, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mangum, Saturday and Sunday.

Coal delivered promptly—best quality.  
43-2t Oil Mill.

Mrs. W. P. McCall has returned from a visit with her sisters in Waco.

Mrs. Emma Shields who was a guest last week of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Burke, has returned to her home in Mullen.

Apron and other articles on sale at Schiller's Drug Store, March 3rd and 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Odom of Branchville were Cameron visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Miller and Miss Edith Fisher were motor visitors in Hearne Sunday.

The "early bird" gets first choice of aprons at Schiller's, March 3rd and 4th.

Mrs. W. G. Gillis has returned from Austin where she visited her sister, Miss Mildred Chambers of the State University.

Mrs. C. A. Tosch and little son have returned to Dallas after a visit here in the J. C. Burk home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Southwell and children, former Cameron people now living in Waco, visited friends in the city Sunday.

Jack Taylor, a Baylor University student, spent Sunday here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Taylor. He has as his guest, a fellow student, Loren Ellis, son of Dr. Ellis of Troy. Other guests in the Taylor home on this date were Mrs. I. Looney, mother of the hostess, and her nephew, Alex Hinson of Huntsville, and Miss Frances Looney of Ben Arnold.

An epidemic of measles is prevailing in Cameron as well as in other parts of the state. Some of the school rooms are almost emptied of pupils, but there have been no serious results so far.

Guaranteed Hemstitching and Picotting Attachment. Fits any sewing machine. \$2.50 prepaid or C. O. D. Circulars free. LaFlesh Hemstitching Co. Dept. 2, Sedalia, Mo.

Mrs. Grover C. White has returned from a visit with friends in Bryan, her former home.

Mrs. W. A. Morrison is in Bryan visiting her daughter, Mrs. Willard Chambers.

Mrs. Kirby Boles and nephew, Wm. Sloan, spent Friday in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman of Rockdale were Sunday visitors in Cameron.

Misses Johnson and Moore, two Yoe High School teachers, made a visit to home folk in Austin the past week end.

Marion Worcester, who has been suffering from an attack of pneumonia, is reported convalescent and able to sit up part of the day.

Miss Ruth Coleman, English teacher in the Milford High School, was at home for week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Coleman.

Misses Frances Morrison and Nelta Sloan motored to Bryan Thursday afternoon and spent three days with Mrs. Willard Chambers.

G. C. White, of the White-House Motor Company returned Wednesday from Dallas where he attended a convention of Chevrolet dealers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lankford and children were guests last week of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lankford, on West Main. Leonard is a Cameron boy and holds a position with the United States Government as Traveling Auditor. He has been living in Washington, D. C., but was recently transferred to southern territory and will make his headquarters in Dallas where he owns a home. Mr. and Mrs. Lankford made the trip from Washington to Cameron in their car.

Lee Howell, a Baylor University boy, and his chum, George Ewing, are visiting Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Howell, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Griffith have recently moved to Cameron from Pleasant Hill, a rural community in the southern part of the county. Mr. Griffith is a brother of Roy Griffith and of Mesdames T. A. Howell and Carey Avriett.

Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. John A. Lee and little daughter, who have been seriously ill, are convalescent. The family will soon move into one of the Mowdy apartments.

G. C. White and John House, proprietors of the White-House Motor Company, and John Muse, salesman, attended the convention of Chevrolet dealers held in Dallas last week.

Miss Edwin Burns of Houston was a guest this week of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Bragg.

Miss Frank Duke Hightower, domestic science teacher, Yoe High School, visited in San Marcos last week end.

Mrs. T. F. Criswell and sons of Buckholts were Cameron visitors Friday.

The Misses Cobb who teach in the Marlow and Hoyte schools, were shopping in the city Saturday.

Miss Nell Mitchell and Miss Laura Wendt, Cameron teachers, spent the week end in their respective homes, Franklin and Brenham.

Seth Corley, Jr., little son of Mr. and Seth Corley of Buckholts, is recovering from serious injuries sustained when he was struck by an automobile a few weeks ago, and will soon be able to be moved from the Cameron Hospital to his home.

Miss Jolly Blanche Pitts, Yoe High English teacher, made a week end visit to Hillsboro.

Mrs. Frank Zelesco of Buckholts was here shopping Friday.

Miss Cora Weathabee of the Oakville school was here to shop Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Reaves and Miss Clara Jinks of Ben Arnold were shopping in the city Friday.

Mrs. P. J. Connelly of Lubbock arrived Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Leland Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Penn Volf are moving into their new home just completed on 12th Street today.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sedelmeyer and Mrs. Louis Hogan have returned to their home in Erie, Pa., after an extended visit here in the home of their sister, Mrs. F. C. Fahren-dorf.

Mr. and Mrs. Oxsheer Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hefley visited in Waco last Friday.

J. D. Link, merchant of Silver City was a business visitor Friday.

Miss Blanche Wiley, of the Grammar School faculty, visited her home in Leander Saturday and Sunday.

W. D. Blackstone, Southwest Texas Normal Freshman, came in Friday for a visit to home folks.

Misses Louise Denson, Louise Adams and Christine Esslinger, Cameron girls teaching in the Gause school, were at home for a week end visit.

Mad Ethridge, who operates the G. L. Avriett delivery car, is at home this week nursing a case of measles.

NOTICE! NOTICE!

The commissioners court of Milam County will receive proposals until ten o'clock a. m. Friday, Feb. 29th, for additional steel shelving for the county clerk's office.

Usual rights reserved and court agrees to waive all technicalities.

GILES L. AVRIETT,

Auditor, Milam County, Texas

RECITAL IS POSTPONED. INDEFINITELY BY HARPER.

The recital by the expression pupils of R. C. Harper to have been given this week has been postponed indefinitely on account of so much illness among the school children and among the pupils of his class.

## BOARD CONTRACTS FOR TAKING SCHOOL CENSUS

GRADY HOUSTON WILL BEGIN SOON TO INVENTORY OUR POPULATION.

School census for 1924 will be taken by Grady Houston who was contracted with Tuesday night by the school board to do this work.

The work will begin about March 1 and the citizens of Cameron are urged to co-operate with Mr. Houston in every possible way to insure an accurate taking of the census.

The board had under advisement plans from architects on the proposed buildings for the schools in Cameron, but no definite decision was made on account of the absence of two members of the board.

The board hopes to show a big increase in the scholastic population by reason of the growth of the city when the census are taken.

FARMERS TO MEET.

We desire to extend a cordial invitation to the farmers of Milam county to meet us in Cameron on Saturday, March 1st, at 1:30 p. m., when the membership of the Farm Bureau Cotton Association will meet to organize and put into active operation a county organization.

We are expecting W. J. L. Hall, Secretary of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, to be present to deliver an address that will be of much interest to all. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Respectfully,  
W. W. KYLE.

Herald per year \$1.50.

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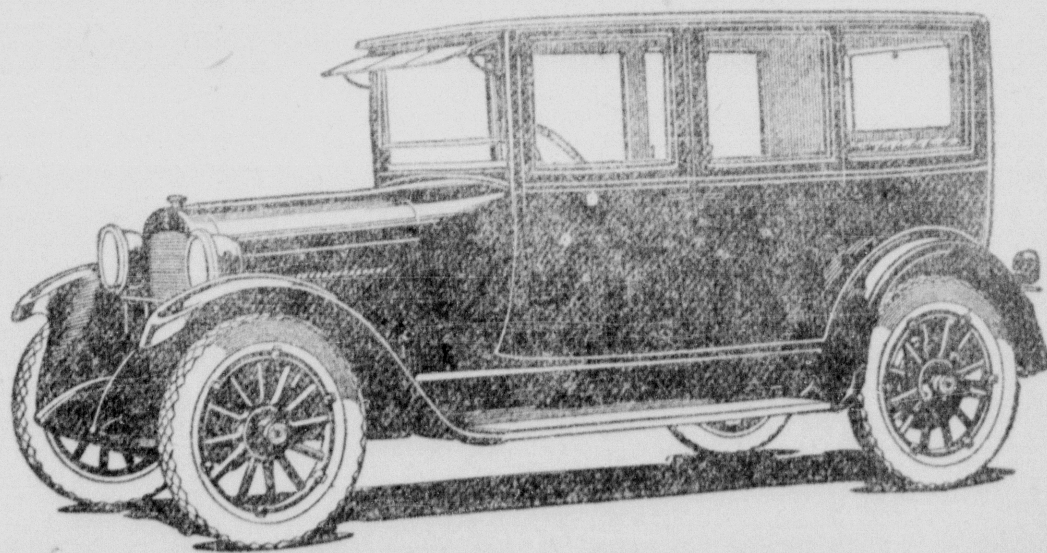
A woman will usually admire one thing about a car and a man another, but there is one feature of the new Type-B Sedan which both admire equally and emphatically—its exceptional driving ease.

This is due to a combination of several important improvements—a roomier front compartment; a readier clutch response; a new steering wheel that offers a trim, firm grip; and control levers that are ideally accessible, yet conveniently out of the way of robes and luggage.

### Decker Motor Co.

Dodge Dealers

Cameron, Texas.





## Visiting Nurses Carry On Intensive Health Campaigns To Save Coming Generation



**E**FFORTS to reduce the excessive death rate from maternal mortality in the United States will continue during the coming year, according to a report read by Haley Fiske, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, at the annual convention. During 1923, 100,000 maternity cases among Metropolitan policy-holders, received the care of public health nurses, other working directly for the company or under arrangement with local health associations.

The report revealed the fact that an average of 20,000 mothers die each year from causes incidental to childbirth. In order to reduce this rate, the company is carrying on an intensive prenatal service. Visiting nurses see the expectant mother once a month from the time a case is reported until confinement. Following the birth of a child, both mother and baby are cared for daily for eight days. If complications develop, the nurse is privileged to make closer observations of the case.

An important feature of the work is the education given moth-

ers regarding their own health and the health of infants. They are instructed to keep in close touch with a physician during pregnancy and to make ample provision for good obstetrical service at confinement.

New York City leads the country in low mortality due to child bearing. The average in that city is five deaths for each thousand mothers, while the general rate is eight for each thousand.

Nursing associations and other agencies throughout the country are co-operating with the company in its campaign.

## LEGION NAMES OFFICERS FOR YEAR IN CAMERON

MITCHELL AGAIN HEADS POST  
AND E. B. HESS VICE  
COMMANDER.

Edwin Hardy Post No. 9, the American Legion met in regular session at 7:45 p. m. with Commander A. F. Mitchell, presiding.

The minutes of the preceding meeting read and adopted.

Next in order was the election and installation of officers for the year 1924. The following officers were elected:

Commander—A. F. Mitchell.  
1st Vice Commander—E. B. Hess.  
Adjutant—W. B. Denson.  
Finance Officer—J. C. Tucker.  
Historian—J. B. Prester.  
Chaplain—Moulton Cobb.  
Athletic Officer—L. Van Perkins.  
Sergeant-at-Arms—Leo Laake.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to take up the entertainment of the hour.

A talk on George Washington, the Soldier and Citizen, by Hon. W. G. Gillis, this talk was very instructive and entertaining and was enjoyed by all.

A four round no decision bout between (Six-second) Keith and (Knockout) Thompson. This bout was very entertaining and furnished much amusement.

Next Miss Eloise Rogers sang "On the Road to Mandalay," responding to encore with "Marcheta." These songs were greeted with deafening encore.

Next a reading by Miss Kathleen Baggett "America for Me," this reading was roundly applauded and Miss Baggett responded with a humorous reading "Heard over the Telephone."

Miss Rogers then sang "In the Land of Sky Blue Waters" which was warmly received by all.

After this refreshments consisting of sandwiches, coffee and ice cream cones were served.

Every one expressed themselves as highly entertained.



For Near East Relief, 611 Slaughter Building, Dallas.



ACTRESS STARTLES AUDIENCE WITH DRESS OF \$2,000,000 IN DIAMONDS.

The radiant dress made up of \$2,000,000 in diamonds and pearls that Miss Alice Delysia wore this evening in the "Topics of 1923" before an audience that exclaimed a startlessness and awe never portrayed by a crowded house of people on Broadway.

The jewels arrived at the Theatre just before the start of the performance, under heavy guard, from Carter's of Fifth Ave., and immediately after Miss Delysia's performance it was transported back to the shop by another heavy guard of detectives and policemen. Photo shows Miss Delysia attired in the \$2,000,000 dress of radiant diamonds augmented by precious pearls.

## Using Evergreen And Flowering Shrubs In Landscaping Described

By R. H. BUSHWAY.

So bewildering in foliage and flower are evergreen and flowering shrubs for landscaping the home that it will be impossible to describe all of them in this article and I will confine myself to the proper use of this type of plant leaving to the individual a selection which will appeal to his own needs for decorative planting.

The planter must take into consideration the height, breadth and foliage effect of each individual plant so that the final result will give the desired beauty. As is clearly demonstrated by many plantings, the tendency is to put in too much, thus stunting the growth and crowding the plants so that the characteristics of each can not reach perfection. The indiscriminate jumbling together of a lot of plants seldom is satisfactory, the essence of beauty is more often expressed in one individual plant that is allowed to develop naturally than it is in an ill-assorted grouping of many plants—there is more beauty in one perfect rose than in a jar of inferior ones. The tendency seems to be to see how many plants may be stuffed into a given area and the result is often floral chaos.

The first objective is the building of screens and backgrounds which will hide garages and other out-buildings which may be unsightly. For this purpose we select the tall growing plants such as poplar, cherry, laurel, camphor, ameerensis, nepalense, ligustrum etc. With the exception of the poplar all of these plants will give a height of 15 feet or more with a corresponding spread and unless an immediate effect is wanted should not be planted too closely.

In planting around the buildings types are selected to bring out and emphasize corners, gables, flues and cover blank places in the walls and must be selected with reference to the buildings, plants suitable for on-story cottage being often inappropriate for a two-story building.

Where plants are set too close to the building the third dimension is almost or entirely lost as the plant can only grow in width and height, therefore the proper distance from the building that the plants are set is of vital importance and requires consideration and the ability to visualize the plant at maturity. To a true plant lover great pleasure comes from watching the gradual development of leaf and flower unfolding to the eye each day a new beauty.

Having determined on backgrounds which give our skyline and building plantings to emphasize and harmonize with the architecture we are prepared to use lower growing plants of distinctive type either for formal or informal types should be used very sparingly as they require continual pruning and seldom give the best effect. Nature's geometry is not set to a scale but leaves very little to be desired when it comes to the producing of sheer beauty. Smaller growing types of plants include Pit-

tosporum Tobira and Variegated, the latter being the Silvertone type—Lucidum and Lucidum Wax, Photinia Dentata, Myrtus Commonus, Variegated Euonymus and Ligustrum and among flowering shrubs, Crepe Myrtle, Spirea Van Houtte (Bridal Wreath), Lonicera (Bush Honey-suckle), Tamarix, Flowering Pomegranate, Cydonia Japonica (Fire Bush), Althea, Rose of Sharon, Loquat, Nandina Domestica, etc. These properly arranged, especially to secure color and foliage effects, will give year around beauty to the home. A very beautiful effect for cluster planting along walks or to bring out corners can be secured by planting the green and silvertone Pittosporum together and allowing the foliage to mingle. For a specimen plant of peculiar beauty nothing excels the Loquat or Medlar—this plant has a very distinct foliage type, a low spreading habit of growth, blooms in the fall and early winter and will occasionally fruit in the lower South. Another plant of special merit is prunus pissardi or purple leaf plum—an upright grower, with a deep reddish foliage. It adds to the color scheme when planted with an evergreen background.

The prospective planter unless in touch with a competent landscape man should inspect older plantings to secure an idea of what to plant and how to plant it. Taking the Lucidum, Lucidum Wax and Pittosporum as examples it will be found that individual plants having a spread of 10 feet or more are not uncommon where they are given room to reach full development.

In flowering shrubs wonderful effects may be obtained by cluster planting. As an illustration we will use the Crepe Myrtle. While this plant is deciduous and therefore not attractive during its dormant period it brings us flowers for a long period throughout the summer and where properly pruned this flowering period may be extended from a month to six weeks. The Crepe Myrtle, like most other plants of its type, will not give best results in massed planting but when set in a cluster are most distinctive and add much beauty to the landscape. Other varieties suitable for this type of planting are Althea, Lonicera, Flowering Pomegranate and Spirea Can Haute.

Nature has been prodigal in giving us some remarkable specimens of conifers that reach floral perfection when properly used. With practically no exception conifers cannot be used in massed planting as they will not thrive when touched by other plants, as it causes them to turn brown and lose both symmetry and beauty. Of special distinction is the tall growing graceful Italian Cypress and when properly used it makes an effective break in the skyline supplied by nothing else.

Used as specimen plants the following varieties are very effective where height is desired—Juniperus Glaucia (Blue Cedar) Juniperus Horizontalis, Cupressus Arizona, Biota

Pyramidalis Compacta and Irish Juniper, the latter, however, as a rule is not satisfactory for extreme southern planting.

Specimens of medium growing types include Biota Aurea Nana (Dwarf Golden), Biota Compacta or Dwarf Green. In trailing sorts we have two varieties, Chinensis Procumbens and Sabina Prostrata. These two sorts spread out and often cover from 8 to 12 feet and may be used on a terrace or as an individual specimen in the open yard. The Pyramidal Juniper (Excelsa Stricta) with a maximum height of 5 to 6 feet with an almost equal spread is very desirable for a semi-formal plant.

In the final analysis plant beauty comes through proper selection of varieties and their placement and giving them time to develop. Undoubtedly 50 per cent of the plants commonly used could be eliminated with a distinct benefit to the final landscape effect and with a substantial saving to the home owner.

### NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

County of Milam.

To all Whom this May Concern:

By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order, and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the fifth day of April, A. D. 1924, by the qualified voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. Two, in said County, at the voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commissioner's Precinct, as follows:

(a) Minerva, Currie, Elm Ridge, Salem, Ad Hall, Big Elm, Maysfield, Branchville, String Prairie, Jones Prairie, Clarkson, Baileyville, Briary, Caddo for the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. Two of said County; (b) and one County School Trustee for the County at Large.

Said election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers that hold the election for Common School Trustees in and for said Common School Districts; and the polls at said election places shall be opened at 8 o'clock a. m. and shall not close before 6 o'clock p. m. 43-4t

JEFF T. KEMP,  
County Judge, Milam County, Texas.

### A TALK WITH A CAMERON MAN.

Mr. W. H. Ledbetter, horseshoer, E. First Street, Tells His Experience

There is nothing like a talk with one of our own citizens for giving hope and encouragement to the anxious sufferer from the dread kidney disease. We, therefore, give here an interview with a Cameron man:

"Everybody knows that horseshoeing is hard on the back and kidneys, owing to the position and strain across the kidneys when holding a horse's foot," says Mr. Ledbetter. "My back became weak and my kidneys caused annoyance by the too frequent passages of the secretions, which were, at times, painful. It seemed as if the muscles of my back were tied in a knot and when I stooped, it was mighty painful to straighten. I took Doan's Kidney Pills and they relieved me quickly."

60c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (H)

### FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies Are Using  
Recipe of Sage Tea and  
Sulphur

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

## For Sale Cheap

1200-Feet of 1 1-2 inch galvanized pipe. Priced to sell quick. See

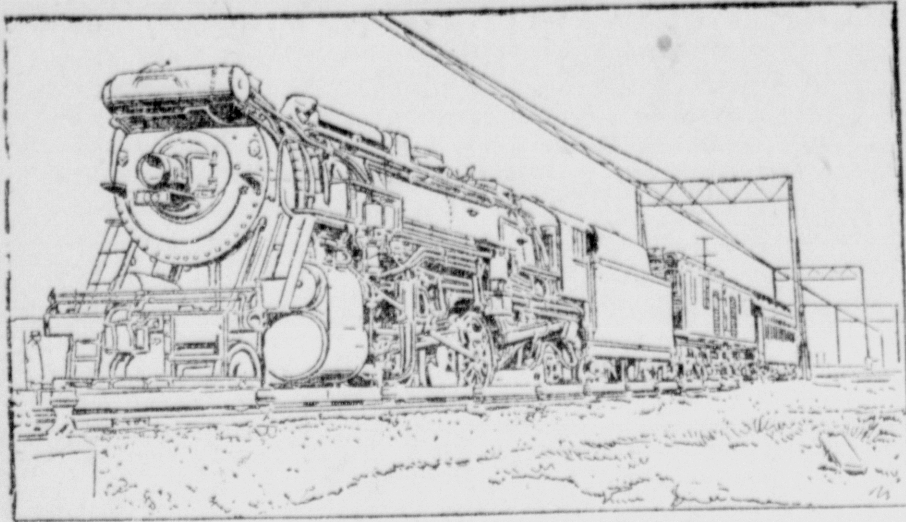
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Cameron, Texas.



# What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE



## Electric Locomotive Is Victor in Tug-o-War

Two monsters of the rails, one operated by electricity, or "white coal," and the other by steam, staged a spectacular tug-o-war at Erie, Pa., recently before railway officials from all parts of the country. Puffing and snorting, with its huge driving wheels turning ahead, the steam loco-

motive was pulled backward, despite its utmost effort to hold its own. Both engines were of the same weight. The steamer is one of ten built for service in Mexico, where it will haul freight over grades twice as steep as those usually found in the United States.

## Men Outnumbered by Women in Census of World

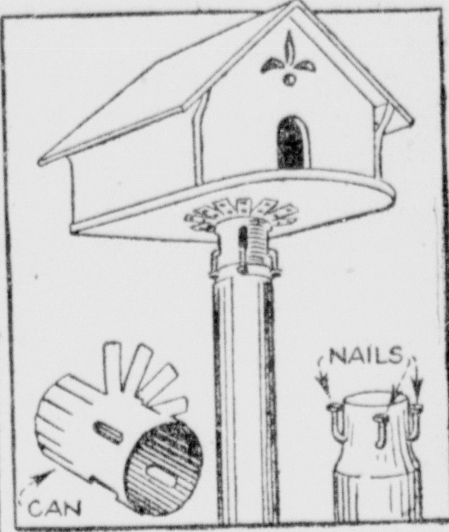
That there are more women than men in the world, is the conclusion drawn by a statistician after recent researches. Among the 475,000,000 inhabitants of the earth, there are 250,000,000 women, 25,000,000 more than the number of men, his figures show. In Germany there are 1,026 women to each 1,000 men; in Russia, 1,400 women to each 1,000 men; and in France and Belgium, respectively, 1,093 and 1,033 for each 1,000 men. The 1920 census reports for the United States show that there are 1,040 males to every 1,000 females in this country. The preponderance of women in foreign lands is believed to be partly explained by the death toll of numerous wars in the past few generations.

## "Soap Holes" of Cowboy Days Become Valuable Clay

"Soap holes," once thought by cattle ranchers of the West to be dangerous mires of worthless slime, have become mines of mineral clay of great commercial value. Bentonite, as the substance taken from the deposits is called, has been made into an ingredient to give body and weight to paper and to aid in the mixing of wall plaster and pastes. Soap makers experimenting with it are said to have found it possessed of good cleaning qualities and beneficial to the skin. Many of the clays and massage creams used by beauty parlors are mixed with it as a base. In the raw state it lies near the surface. Since it absorbs almost seven times its volume of water, it forms a soft, slippery mass where the deposits are in low ground.

## Detachable Bird Houses

It is becoming quite the fashion for country, suburban, and even city dwellers to provide small bird houses in yards and parks. They are usually mounted on poles or in trees, and as they are securely fastened, it is not an easy matter to remove them when it is desired to paint, repair, or clean them, which is occasionally necessary. A method of mounting a bird house so that it can readily be detached is shown in the drawing. The top of the supporting post is trimmed down to fit loosely inside a No. 2 fruit can, which is cut and slotted as shown. The can is nailed to the underside of the bird house and slipped over the end of the pole. Nails are then driven into the slots and bent downward at right angles as shown, so that the can will not slip off. When removing the bird house the nails



are turned to the position shown in the lower detail, when the can may easily be released by an upward pull.

Decomposition caused by contact of the cream with metallic surfaces in the churn produces an iron lactate that causes the "fishy" taste frequently detected in butter, government experts have discovered.

nourished, malarial, living indescribably crowded, unsanitary barracks, hovels and shacks. Greatest need we have seen in any country since World War.

East Relief has not adequate funds. According to Mr. Sanger, the Near East Relief has not adequate funds already sheltered in its institutions, much less to meet distressing conditions of thousands of other orphan children suffering and perishing in refugee camps. "Indeed," said Mr. Sanger, continuing, "unless Near East Relief has substantial increase in immediate cash contributions, it won't be able to maintain the children already in its orphanages, and I fear greatly the necessity for turning thousands of these helpless little ones out to die of starvation and exposure. I believe, however, that big-hearted Texans, whom God has richly blessed during the past year with abounding prosperity, will respond promptly by pouring forth funds sufficient, when added to the gifts of other sympathetic people throughout the land, to enable us to meet not only the pressing needs of the 60,000 children safe within our own orphanages, but also those suffering kiddies in the refugee camps."

Checks to assist in this work may be sent to Mr. Sanger, W. O. Connor, State treasurer, Republic National Bank, Dallas, or to the State office of Near East Relief, Slaughter building, Dallas.

## FARMS, RANCHES AND CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.

Any body wanting to buy or trade for farms or ranches in South or West, Texas, call on, or write or wire T. C. Stafford.

## Dull and Heavy?

In FORCE you'll find the Snap and Pep to do things with a relish.

## FORCE Tonic

SAYS RED PEPPER  
HEAT STOPS PAIN  
IN FEW MINUTES

Rheumatism, lumbago, neuritis, back-ache, stiff neck, sore muscles, strains, sprains, aching joints. When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try Red Pepper Rub.

Nothing has such concentrated, penetrating heat as red peppers, and when heat penetrates right down into pain and congestion relief comes at once.

Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes the sore spot is warmed through and through and the torture is gone.

Rowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Be sure to get the genuine, with the name Rowles on every package.

## FINE WORKMANSHIP IS SECRET HUDSON USE AND POPULARITY.

"In these days of automatic machinery turning out enormous numbers of motor cars, it is refreshing once in a while to hear of a product brought into being under the old-fashioned, hand-made methods of our fathers," observed Horstmann Bros. Hudson-Essex distributors.

"Imagine if you can a concern in the motor car industry where there is not one single set of dies or stamping presses, where the men work unhurriedly, where the individual skill of each workman is of vital importance.

"Then imagine this concern increasing the skill of its men by accepting only contracts for first-grade products. Consider a system under which the older workmen instruct the boys—in many cases it is father and son—in the secrets of their trade. Last of all imagine this plant located in a small New England town, in which it has been carrying on its business for three quarters of a century.

"Doesn't sound much like the bustling, hustling automobile business, does it?

"Well, there is such a plant. It is located in Amesbury, Mass. If you'll look that up on the map, you'll see that it is in the quiet, historic valley of the Merrimack River, 'way up near the northern border. Long before the automobile business was thought of, this institution was building fine horse driven carriages.

"My especial interest is that since 1916, this concern has done nothing but build the finest grade of enclosed cars for the Hudson Motor Car Co. Year after year, Hudson contracts for its output.

"At present, their product is the Hudson Super-Six sedan. Just a glance or two will show anyone where these workmen, with their individual skill and their individual ideas of what is genuine quality workmanship, produce an article of a different and finer type. To the man who wants a truly fine motor car, it is just the right choice.

"When to the beauty and comfort of the body you add the power, sureness and smoothness of the Super-Six chassis, you have a carriage

## EVANS' Corner

This corner is devoted to business, politics and general news.

For just a little more you can have a pair lenses ground to suit your eyes, and the satisfaction of knowing you have a lens that will not injure your eyes, is worth the difference in price.

Our prices are not high, if you consider quality.

We use modern equipment when testing your eyes.

## GUS EVANS Jeweler and Optometrist

Geo. A. Thomas & Sons, Drug Store.

which genuinely typifies the old-fashioned quality and character which our fathers and grandfathers liked to have built into their possessions."

**TWO TO-NIGHT**  
for loss of appetite, bad breath, coated tongue, biliousness, Without griping or nausea  
**CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS**  
Set your liver right—only 25c

Singer Sewing Machines Sold,

Rented and Repaired

**J. C. MAYFIELD**

Office with Howell's Music Store.

Cameron, Texas.

## Largest Policy In World Insures Railroad Workers For Over Tenth of Billion



NINETY thousand railroad employees, insured in a single group, will benefit by a policy just issued for \$110,000,000. This contract for over a tenth of a billion is the largest group insurance policy ever issued. The contract was purchased from the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company by the Southern Pacific Railroad and will cover all the employees of the system and its subsidiaries. It is estimated that the company will have to pay claims averaging \$75,000 a month. A group division office has been opened in San Francisco to handle this great co-operative project. The railroad's personnel will have the advantage of the company's welfare service, nursing service, policy-holders' service bureau and other distinctive features.

The extent of this work is evident from figures recently made public. Last year, Metropolitan health nurses made over 2,400,000 visits to the sick in 4,000 cities and towns. The company assisted in over 350 health campaigns and at present is giving its support to a nation-wide movement for the pre-

vention of diphtheria by means of the Schick tests.

The employees of the great rail system, with their families, will receive the protection provided by these various activities. Their scope will extend up and down the Pacific Coast and throughout the Southwest and will affect the men and women who have played an important part in the development of that part of the country.

The history of the Metropolitan's Group Life Insurance plan dates back seven years. It has developed to such an extent that the company has 1,700 corporations carrying insurance for their employees. The plan is described as "a big co-operative movement between capital and labor."

Group insurance is making available valuable data on health, absenteeism, labor-turnover, accidents, and loss of life of individuals in American industry. The records, assembled in the Metropolitan's research department, together with the results obtained from surveys made of various occupations, may be procured upon request.

## NEAR EAST RELIEF NEEDS IMPERATIVE.

Dallas, Texas, Feb. 22.—A cablegram just received by Charles L. Sanger, State chairman of Near East Relief at State headquarters here, from Professor Paul Monroe of Columbia University a World Traveler, and Dr. R. R. Reeder, former director of Serbian Child Welfare association, declares distressing con-

ditions among refugees of Salonika, Macedonia, constitute the greatest need they have seen in any country since the World War. The cable in full, follows:

"Our personal inspection refugee situation reveals most distressing conditions, especially of the hundred twelve thousand refugees in Salonika out of the five hundred thousand in Macedonia. Scores of thousands, mostly women and children, under-

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# SOCIETY NEWS

BY MRS. JEFF T. KEMP

## SUNDAY SCHOOL PARTY.

Following a contest in the Junior department of the Methodist Sunday school in which the Junior boys were successful, the girls of the department entertained the victors Friday evening in the basement of the church. Decorations befitting the George Washington holiday were in evidence. A musical program directed by Mrs. Alex Triggs was enjoyed. The following numbers were given: Piano—Dora Emily Moore.

Song—Dorothy Denson.

Piano—Geraldine Slaughter.

Instrumental—Ethel Green.

Reading—Martine Dunham.

Telegrams beginning with the initial letters of Washington were written, Ethel Green was voted the winner on contest.

Presidential Pie was distributed and Carl Hopkins and Florence Eward tied for honors and both received miniature flags as did the winners in each contest.

A spelling match with Dorothy Denson and Dora Emily Moore choosing sides proved that Harvey Yoe was the best speller of Bible names.

A contest in names of States was won by Carl Hopkins.

A flower game was followed by refreshments of red, white and blue brick ice cream and cake.

The boys voted the evening a most delightful one and before going home placed the room in order for Sunday school.

## MISS CHATHAM RETURNS

FROM HER VACATION.

Miss Logia Chatham, in charge of the Millinery and ready to wear departments at the Louis S. Pierce Dry Goods Store, reached Cameron Saturday evening after a seven weeks vacation. Part of this time, Miss Chatham spent with her sister and other relatives in Saint Louis, the remaining weeks were spent in New York where she assisted the manager, Louis S. Pierce in selecting the spring stock for the Cameron and Navasota stores. Miss Chatham reports a delightful vacation and is busy now putting on display the many lovely creations brought from eastern markets.

## 42 PARTY.

An outstanding affair of the week's social calendar was the 42 party given by Miss Gladys Watson on Thursday afternoon.

The red, white and blue motif of the Washington Birthday season combined to form attractive decoration for the hospitality.

Red Japonica and fragrant white Blossoms gave a floral charm to the reception suite. Guests were greeted at the door by the charming Watson twins in Washington costumes and shown to their places at the white covered game tables.

Score cards and tally pads were in the favored colors and game markers were hatched stickers placed by the twins.

A salad course with sweets and individual cakes decorated with cherry sprays, was appropriately served by the hostess, assisted by her mother, Mrs. John Watson and her cousin, Mrs. J. C. Tucker.

Members of the 42 Club and the following guests enjoyed the hospitality: Mesdames A. N. Green, Paul Webb, Tom Henderson, Jr., Warren Stone of Mt. Clemens, Mich., Claud Triggs, Hilary Stedman, Giles Avriett, Tom Denson, Dan Tyson, S. A. Cottle, Vernon McIntyre and Miss Beth Jeter.

## MRS. J. C. MARTIN ENTERTAINS

Mrs. John Martin entertained a few friends Saturday afternoon in an unusually charming manner.

Each guest was requested to tell a joke or perform a stunt and the responses were clever, original and highly entertaining. Mrs. Lena Baskin who gave a characterization of the book agent was declared the most clever. Mrs. T. S. Henderson read an original story that provoked much merriment over a recent near tragic incident in the home of the most popular young couple in our city. Assisted by Mrs. J. L. Denson, and Master John Martin and Little Miss Margaret, Mrs. Martin served a dainty and appetizing salad plate.

## HISTORY CLUB.

The Cameron History Club met on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ben Atkinson. Answers to roll call by members present were most entertaining.

Mrs. John Martin led the lesson study. Miss Winnie Henderson presented the facts in the Teapot Dome Oil Scandal.

Mrs. Paul Webb gave a minute description of "The Doll's House" a miniature palace to be presented this year to the Queen of England to be preserved for posterity in Windsor Castle illustrating architecture and interior decoration of 1924. Parts for the Palace have been assembled from every part of the British dominions.

The hostess, assisted by Miss Louise Atkinson, served a tempting salad plate with hot tea.

## PARK PICNIC.

A picnic lunch in the Wilson-Ledbetter Park chaperoned by Misses Lillian Atkinson, Beth Jeter and Gladys Henry on George Washington holiday gave pleasure to the following school girls: Misses Clyde Baskin, Katharine, Florence and Mary Virginia Atkinson, Ruth Kemp, Martin Dunham of Houston, Mary Ellen Jeter.

## GIRLS SEWING CLUB.

The Maysfield girls had their regular meeting Friday Feb. 15, 1924. The meeting was called to order by the president, Irene Bell.

The Secretary, Alice Brashear, called the roll and a great many were absent on account of the measles.

Those absent were: Sorensen Janak, Nell Sue Tyson, Alice Janak, Myrtle Mae and Willie Belle Holloway.

Miss Henry brought us our songs and yells. We practiced them and they were led by our song leader, Doris White. At this meeting of the sewing club the sewing bags that we started were finished. At our next meeting we are going to cut out our aprons.

Some of the parents were present at our meeting. Those who were present were: Mrs. V. L. White, Mrs. Brashear, Mrs. John Thweatt, Mrs. Collier and Mrs. Hollowman. We are always glad to have the mothers to visit us.

## SHOWER FOR BRIDE ELECT

Mesdames B. P. and B. J. Matocha, at the home of the latter, honored their niece, Miss Lydia Matula last Friday evening from 8 to 11 with a "42" party.

The reception rooms were beautifully decorated with pink hearts, baskets of pink flowers adorned the tables.

The tally cards were hand painted brides holding pink bouquets. The table covers of pink crepe were removed after the games and replaced with beautiful white embroidered spreads.

In the games Miss Lucy Matula made the highest score and won first prize, a hand painted ice pick holder. Mrs. Will Michalka won the consolation prize consisting of individual salt and pepper shakers. Both winners then presented the bride to be with their prizes, and she was then graciously presented with a beautifully hand embroidered linen bed room set by the hostesses.

Ice cream and cake was served.

## VALENTINE BRIDGE PARTY.

The following social item from the Rockdale Reporter will be of interest to the friends of the hostess, Mrs. James L. Coleman:

Among the social affairs of last week, none more lovely than the afternoon bridge party given on Thursday by Mrs. James L. Coleman.

This was Mrs. Coleman's initial entertainment since coming to Rockdale as a bride several months ago, and she proved herself a most gracious and artistic hostess. She was assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. W. Coleman of Cameron.

The reception rooms were gaily decorated in crimson hearts and cupid and cases of red roses were placed to advantage. The entire stairway was outlined with hearts that fell pendant from crimson rib-

bons in graduating effect from ceiling to rail. The light, shaded in crimson, cast a soft glow over the scene. The card tables were covered in black with a large red heart to center of each. Score cards and pads also emphasized the Valentine idea.

At the conclusion of a series of games, Miss Merle Lucas held high score and was awarded an exquisite Venetian bud vase holding daintily tinted tulips. A set of pretty table markers went to Mrs. B. F. Bonds for low score.

An artistic menu of pink ice cream in heart molds embossed with white cupid, angel and devil food cake, coffee demi-tasse was served on decorated bamboo trays. The place cards and mints further accentuated the Valentine motif.

Mesdames Oxsheer and H. F. Smith and B. F. Bonds of Cameron were the out of town guests.

## MATULA-SWAIN.

An unusually impressive and beautiful wedding took place at high noon on Monday, February 25, at the home of the bride's parents, uniting in marriage Miss Lydia Matula, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Matula, and Medley Mathewson Swain, of Temple, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Swain of that city.

The marriage ceremony was performed by Father Simon Spinneweber of St. Monica Catholic church.

In the reception room, an altar had been constructed, banked with ferns and adorned with freesias, over which was a beautiful white canopy, in the center of which hung a large wedding bell.

The color scheme of white and green predominated throughout the home.

To Lohengrin's wedding march, played by Miss Lorenz, entered the bride on the arm of her father, preceded by her cousin, little Leone Matocha, the flower girl. Just before the ceremony, a duet, "Ave Maria," was sung by Mrs. Johnnie Portele of Marlin and Miss Marie Stocklas of Cameron, accompanied by Miss Lorenz.

The bride was handsomely attired in a suit of reindeer brown with harmonizing accessories and she carried an exquisite bouquet of white carnations which was later presented to her mother.

After the ceremony the guests were ushered into the dining room where an elaborate dinner was served.

The bride's cake, beautifully decorated in white and green, was used as a center piece. On top was a miniature trunk on which a tiny cupid, received love tokens from a dove, rested. The plate favors were wedding rings with doves. The place cards were brides and grooms encircled by a wedding ring.

After the dinner, the bride cut the cake and in white packages tied with green, ribbon, this was handed to the guests as they passed out of the dining room.

For the honeymoon trip, the newly weds left at 2:30 for Dallas and Ft. Worth.

Out of town guests for the wedding were the groom's sister and brother, Miss Ethel and E. J. Swain of Temple, the bride's brother, Arthur J. Matula, of Little Rock, Ark., Dr. and Mrs. Van Tobel, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kershaw, Mr. Thompson, Mrs. Waters, Misses Wilson, Bowers and Schweder, all of Temple, Mrs. Johnnie Portele of Marlin and Miss Louise Young of Houston.

The bride is a young lady of charming personality. She is a graduate of Cameron High School, has had two years training at Seton Infirmary, Austin, Texas, and for five years had been connected with the Scott and White Hospital at Temple.

The groom is a well known Temple man of sterling character. He is a World War Veteran and one of the most active members of the American Legion in Temple. He holds a responsible position with the Santa Fe R'y.

After March 20, Mr. and Mrs. Swain will be at home to their friends at 208 North 4th Street, Temple, Texas.

# CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room, close in. J. L. Slaughter.

LOST—Between Cameron and Shiner on January 13th, black hand bag containing lady's and child's laundry, toilet articles, etc. For reward notify Mrs. Jack Burns, Cairo, Texas.

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room and garage, with meals if desired. Mrs. J. M. Eplen.

FOR SALE—Touring car, in good condition, cheap. C. N. Green & Bros.

Eggs for Hatching and Baby Chicks. It will be worth your while to come by and look my flock over and investigate my pen record at the Egg Laying Contest at the A. & M. College. They are holding 2nd place with 40 pens in the contest. R. E. Sharp, Cameron.

FOR SALE. Six cockrels \$1.50 and \$2.50 each all from two year old trap nested hens.

They are the Johnson strain of Wolf City. John. B. Dodson, Cameron, Texas.

LOST STRAYED OR STOLEN—One big bone black and tan bithel hound, extra large. Reward. Rube Johnson, Cameron, Texas.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping, rooms, furnished. Mrs. S. J. Slocomb 615 West 7th Street. 43-4t

WANTED TO RENT—Furnished cottage or two furnished rooms for light house keeping. Phone 221.

FOR SALE—About 4000 or 5000 feet of good lumber, consisting of boxing, 2x4, 4x6, 1-4, lathing, ship lap all in good condition and will be sold at a bargain. See W. L. Ingram at the old Ingram home one mile north of the court house.

WANTED—10 to 25 acres of improved land, preferred within 3 miles of Hearne or Cameron. All or part cash. What have you. D. D. Payne, Taylor, Texas.

FOR SALE. 1-1920 model Oakland Six Touring car, new battery, practically new casings and in good running shape \$100.00. Hubert Hefley Motor Co. Cameron, Texas.

FOUND—Fountain pen. Owner may get same at the Herald office by giving description and paying for this ad. H. B. McClellan, Gause, Texas

FOR SALE—New Ford Touring Car right. See John Muse.

HOME FOR SALE—One five room house with hall. Has chicken yard, garage and outhouses, and barn. Water and lights and two acres of ground. Right price for a quick sale. See or telephone R. B. Brady, phone 256.

I have a few choice cotton seed for sale. S. W. Lamkin. 40-8t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have one good cow horse and saddle that I want to trade in on a Ford car. Telephone or see Ed. Harris, Cameron, Texas.

LOST on the Burlington-Cameron road, Thursday morning, Feb. 14, a 22 Stevens Favorite single shot rifle. Reward if returned to Cameron Herald office.

FOR RENT—The residence now occupied by Mrs. J. S. Batte in Batte's town. See R. L. Ratte.

JACK FOR SALE—Cheap, Well-bred, Starlight and Black Spanish. Five miles northeast of Rockdale.

Office space for rent—15x40 feet double wall all round. Phone 255. 32-tf.

FOR RENT—Large desirable, upstairs room, has southeast corner. Close in. Phone 412.

FOR SALE—One 1923 Ford Touring Car, new cord tires. Decker Motor Company. 35tf.

LOST—Shell Rim eye glasses, return to this office and get reward.

LAND FOR SALE—177 acres panhandle well improved cotton farm, 4 miles from Sudan, Texas, on Santa Fe railroad, 150 acres in cultivation, fine water and improvements. On account of other business will sell \$1,000 cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser. Address owner, Box 211, Lorenzo, Texas.

FOR SALE—My house and lot. L. G. Roberts. 27 tf.

FOR SALE—30 Single Comb White Leghorn hens and pullets, \$1.25 each or \$30 for the lot at my yard. I also have a few nice cockerels \$3.50 to \$5.00. R. E. Sharpe, Cameron, Texas.

LOST—Gold pencil with gold chain. Finder return to Thomas Drug Store. R. A. Griswold.

FARM FOR SALE—64 2-3 acres, 2 miles west of Cameron on Tracy highway, with good improvements, 1 good water well, all land level, 45 acres in cultivation, 2 acres in hog pasture, balance in pasture with wood, can be put in cultivation. For information write or see me at Cameron Machine Shop, on Saturdays. August Michalka, Cameron, Texas. Box 54.

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6 cans Heinz Baked Beans, 20c sellers	\$1.00
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5 cans Extra Sifted June Peas, 25c sellers	\$1.00

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4 cans Tuna Fish, 35c sellers	\$1.00
5 cans Underwood Codfish, 25c sellers	\$1.00
5 Jars Sliced Beef, 35c sellers	\$1.00
4 cans Luncheon Tongue, 35c sellers	\$1.00
5 cans Cove Oysters, 25c sellers	\$1.00
10 cans Small Milk, 10c sellers	50c
8-lb. Pail Pure Hog Lard	\$1.00
5 cans Fat Herring, 25c sellers	\$1.00
5-lb. can Calumet, \$1.35 sellers	\$1.45
4 cans Underwood Deviled Ham, 35c sellers	\$1.00
8-lb Pail Good Shortening, \$1.65 value	\$1.40
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1 Gal. Catsup, 85c value	55c
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